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THE GENEALOGY AND DESCENDANTS OF LUKE FISH, SR.

IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER FROM 1760 TO 1904

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PREFACE

The Fishes, whose genealogy is given in these pages, are said to be the descendants of a family of that name who, emigrating from Normandy with William the Conqueror, landed in England in 1066. That the Fishes settled in the North of England is highly probable, not only from the fact that history records how William the Conqueror suppressed uprisings in the North of England in the years 1068 and 1069, harassing Northumberland, and again in 1070, driving back the Scottish King, but also from the fact that several of the older members of the Fish family given here were born in Carlisle, in the County of Cumberland, which is situate in the North of England, and which is familiarly known as the "Border City."

For six generations of the Fish family it is said that the eldest son had been named Luke, and, strange as it may seem, each had married a woman whose Christian name was Margaret. This custom, however, was broken by Luke Fish, Jr., born in Carlisle, England, May 22, 1787. He married a woman by the name of Mary, and their eldest son was christened William, though their fifth child was named Luke Sidney.

Little is known about the ancestors of Luke Fish, Sr., and the only one of the family of which he was a member, of whom anything is known, was Mary Fish, his sister, who was born in Stanwix, Carlisle, England, in the year 1756. She was unmarried, and taught a private school in Stanwix up to the time advancing years compelled her to relinquish the work. She died in 1848, in her 93d year.

Although the Fish family is scattered over all the seas, it is not recorded in these pages that there were any whales among them, though there were many schools of little Fishes.

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LUKE FISH, SR.

Luke Fish, Sr., was born in the year 1760, in Stanwix, Cumberland County, England. Nothing definite is known about his parents, except that his mother, whose maiden name was Margaret Rutherford, came from the Borderland, a name given to the immediate vicinity of the old Roman wall that divided England from Scotland. Luke Fish, Sr., married Margaret Smith, who was born in London, England, of aristocratic parents. Luke was a carriage maker—a working man—a fact which did not please her parents, and because she insisted on marrying him they disowned her. Though it was a mesalliance, Luke made her a good home and living, and they were happy together. Her parents were never reconciled. She died in England in the year 1804. Luke Fish, Sr., came to America, where he died in Shelby County, Ohio, January 22, 1844, aged 84 years. Their children are:—

1—MARGARET, who was born in England, and who died at Dalston, near Carlisle, England, aged 36 years. She was unmarried.

2—LUKE, JR., born May 22, 1787, in Carlisle, England; died October 19, 1866, in Shelby County, Ohio, aged 79 years.

3—WILLIAM, born in England, and a tailor by trade. He came to America, but sometime afterward all trace of him was lost, as he ceased correspondence. It is said he was shot in Canada, and it is not known whether he left a family or not.

4—JOHN, who was born in England, and who died in England while yet young.

5—HANNAH, born in England in the year 1797, and died on January 1, 1839, in Shelby County, Ohio, at the age of 42 years. She was unmarried.

6—EDWARD, born in England March 24, 1802; died December 3, 1886, in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, aged 84 years.

LUKE FISH, JR.

Luke Fish, Jr., was the second child of Luke, Sr., and Margaret Fish, and was born in Carlisle, England, May 22, 1787. He was twice married, and by his first wife, Mary Graham, who was born in Carlisle, England, April 11, 1795, and died in Shelby County, Ohio, April 18, 1852, he had twelve children. His second mar-

LUKE FISH, JR.

riage occurred in February, 1859. Luke Fish, Jr., emigrated from England in the year 1818, and settled on a farm near Dayton, Ohio, in 1819, remaining in Montgomery County for nineteen years. Of his twelve children, nine were born in the log house on the old farm. The country at that time was sparsely settled, and in 1803 Montgomery County had only been incorporated. In 1805, the estimated population of Cincinnati was but 960, and transportation was by canal boat on the Great Miami River. Thus pioneer life in those days was one of privation and weary toil. Luke Fish, Jr., de-

lighted and excelled in fruit culture, and had two orchards and two vineyards on his last farm. His eldest son, William, in after years, pointed out with pride the orchard he himself had planted. In 1838 he moved to a farm in Shelby County, Ohio, four miles from Sidney. Weaving jeans on the handloom was part of the early settler's life, and fell mostly to the mother's lot, and of this Mary Fish had her share. She was a Christian woman, sweet and patient in the effort to make home comfortable. She died suddenly of paralysis, aged 57 years, leaving a sister, Jane Nogal, and a brother, William Graham, who lived near Dayton, but who are now dead. After an illness of only four days, Luke Fish, Jr., died in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, on October 17, 1866, aged 79 years. His remains were followed to the tomb by the largest concourse of friends ever witnessed in that part of the country, he having been one of its pioneers. For the last forty-five years of his life he had an abiding faith, and zealously supported the doctrines of the Methodist Church. His house was the home at all times of the itinerary preachers of that church. In the early part of his life he was inclined to infidelity, but upon reading "Newton on the Prophesies" he was convinced that the Bible was the word of God. About the year 1821 or 1822 he was influenced by Michael Marlay and Joseph Park to join them in the moral reform in which they were so zealously engaged. His children are:—

1—WILLIAM, born November 24, 1814.

2—MARGARET, born November 11, 1816.

3—THOMAS, born December 2, 1818.

4—ELIZABETH, born March 18, 1821.

5—LUKE SIDNEY, born March 31, 1823.

6—EDWARD, born August 7, 1825.

7—MARY JANE, born August 15, 1827.

8—JAMES, born August 28, 1829.

9—GEORGE WASHINGTON, born February 22, 1832.

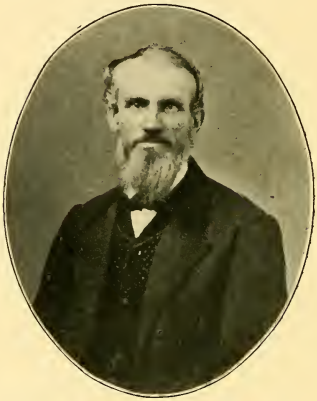
10—HANNAH, born July 16, 1834.

11—HENRY, born August 24, 1836.

12—SARAH, born May 28, 1838.

WILLIAM FISH

William Fish was the first child of Luke, Jr., and Mary Fish, and was born in Carlisle, England, on November 24, 1814. He was in his fifth year when he came to America with his parents, who settled on a farm near Dayton, Ohio, in 1819. Early put to work, his only education was obtained by reading by the light of the fire in the chimney corner such books as he could obtain. He worked on



WILLIAM FISH

the farm, and learned to weave on the handloom at home, making clothing for the family, until he was twenty years of age. Leaving the farm about 1835, with only a suit of jeans and little money, he went to Dayton, Ohio, to enter upon life's struggles, where he found work in a woolen mill. Wool was exchanged for yarns, jeans and flannels. He remained in Dayton until 1839, when he moved to his father's farm in Shelby County, Ohio. Revived work in the mills induced Wil-

liam to go to Dayton again in 1841, remaining there till 1847, when he went to Springfield, Ohio, working in a woolen mill eleven hours a day. Times were hard on account of the panic. Seventy-five cents a day was called good pay then, and money could not be had. Then followed the cholera scourge, William being stricken, but lived to bless the name of Mary Buvinger, who took his family to her home in Dayton, providing for them through the Winter. William's

CATHARINE FISH (nee BUVINGER)

knowledge of the loom and woolen business, and his integrity, obtained for him the confidence of Christopher Slagle, of London, Ohio, who put him in charge of a mill he had erected. Thence he moved in the Spring of 1850 and began his career as a business man. Being successful, and desiring to branch out, he returned to Springfield in the Spring of 1854. Renting a place, with machinery, from Charles Rabbits, he, with the assistance of his older children, began working

stocking yarn the first year, running day and night. In 1855 he entered into partnership with Mr. Rabbits, under the firm name of "Rabbits & Fish," but dissolved it to branch out further, and in February, 1859, moved to Dayton again, taking with him his own machinery. The sign: "William Fish, Dayton Woolen Mill"—was known far and wide. He continued the business up to the time of his death, which occurred on January 15, 1867, in Cleveland, Ohio, where he had gone for treatment for paralysis. He was buried in the Fish lot in Woodland Cemetery, Dayton, Ohio. He was a good Christian, temperate in all things, and generously gave to the church, the poor, and to the many calls made upon him during the Civil War of 1861 to 1865. He was a staunch Republican and an Anti-Slavery man, and often assisted runaway slaves to escape by the "underground railroad." William was married in Dayton, Ohio, on October 17, 1837, to Catharine Buvinger, who was born in Hanover, Pennsylvania, on July 18, 1818. She was about seventeen years of age when she moved to Ohio with her parents, traveling by canal boat and stage, the only means of transportation at that time. She endured bravely the ups and downs of her married life, always hopeful, and withal a good Christian wife and mother. At the death of her husband she continued his business, with the aid of two sons-in-law, until 1872, when she closed it out and went to Cleveland, Ohio, April 7, 1873, with her four youngest children. She died in the full faith of a Christian hope on January 5, 1890, in Cleveland, Ohio, and was buried in the Fish lot in Woodland Cemetery, Dayton, Ohio. Their children are:

1—MARY, born July 9, 1838.

2—LOUISE JANE, born July 10, 1840.

3—HENRIETTA MATILDA, born February 6, 1842.

4—LUTHER STOCKTON, born December 3, 1843.

5—AMANDA, born May 22, 1846.

6—ORANGE SCOTT, born Jan. 2, 1848.

7—SARAH ELIZABETH, born January 31, 1850.

8—MARTHA WASHINGTON, born January 24, 1852.

9—OLLIE BELLE, born Aug. 12, 1854.

10—JESSIE LEOTA, born Oct. 18, 1856.

11—ALMON BARNES, born May 17, 1859.

MARY FISH was the first child of William and Catharine Fish, and was born in Dayton, Ohio, on July 9, 1838. She was married at Springfield, Ohio, on December 13, 1857, to Benjamin Kauffman, a woolen manufacturer, who was born in Springfield, Ohio, on October 18, 1834. Their children are:—

1—ANNA VIRGINIA, born in Springfield, Ohio, October 10, 1858; died in Columbus, Ohio, January 5, 1892.

2—HARRY WILLIAM, born in Alpha, Ohio, August 13, 1865; died there April 3, 1867.

3—BENJAMIN FREDERICK, born in Alpha, Ohio, February 27, 1867.

4—MARY LOUISE, born in Alpha, Ohio, January 26, 1869.

5—OWEN ALBERT, born in St. Mary's, Ohio, September 9, 1873.

6—JESSIE MATTIE BELLE, born in St. Mary's, Ohio, Sept. 4, 1876.

BENJAMIN FREDERICK KAUFFMAN was the third child of Mary Fish and Benjamin Kauffman, and was born in Alpha, Ohio, February 27, 1867. He was cashier for seventeen years of the James Leffel Water Wheel Company, of Springfield, Ohio. He was married at Cleveland, Ohio, April 30, 1901, to Fanny Maude Mattison, who was born August 8, 1866, in South Shaftsbury, Vermont. Their only child is:—

1—FREDERICK MATTISON, born in Springfield, Ohio, June 18, 1902.

MARY LOUISE KAUFFMAN was the fourth child of Mary Fish and Benjamin Kauffman, and was born in Alpha, Ohio, January 26, 1869. She was unmarried.

OWEN ALBERT KAUFFMAN was the fifth child of Mary Fish and Benja-

min Kauffman, and was born in St. Mary's, Ohio, on September 9, 1873. He was the general superintendent of the James, Leffel Water Wheel Company, of Springfield, Ohio. He was unmarried.

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JESSIE M. B. KAUFFMAN was the sixth child of Mary Fish and Benjamin Kauffman, and was born in St. Mary's, Ohio, on September 4, 1876. She was engaged in gymnastic work as Physical Director. She was unmarried.

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LOUISE JANE FISH was the second child of William and Catharine Fish, and was born near Sidney, Shelby County,

LOUISE JANE FISH

Ohio, on July 10, 1840. She was married at Meadville, Pennsylvania, Elder O. T. Ongley performing the ceremony on October 16, 1859, to George Klock Nellis, who was born near Clockville, Madison County, New York, on January 24, 1826, and died in Chicago, Illinois, on May 8, 1902. He was a photographer and was in

business in Chicago for several years. Their only child is:—

1—MINNIE, born March 25, 1861.

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MINNIE NELLIS was the only child of Louise Jane Fish and George Klock Nellis, and was born in Dayton, Ohio, on March 25, 1861. She was married in Chicago, Illinois, on May 24, 1883, to Dr. Albert Ellsworth Froom, who was born in Belvidere, Ill., on Nov. 20, 1861. He was a self-made man. Engaged in the Chicago Post Office, he earned his way through college, and has been very successful as a physician. Their children are:—

1—ALBERT NELLIS, born in Chicago, Illinois, April 16, 1884.

2—MARGUERITE LOUISE, born in Chicago, Illinois, Nov. 22, 1885.

3—HELEN GENEVIEVE, born in Chicago, Illinois, May 7, 1888.

4—MAY KATHERINE, born in Chicago, Illinois, November 22, 1889.

5—EDGAR ALBRIGHT, born in Chicago, Illinois, July 6, 1892.

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HENRIETTA MATILDA FISH was the third child of William and Catharine Fish, and was born in Dayton, Ohio, February 6, 1842. She was married in Dayton, Ohio, on October 29, 1863, to Charles Henry Cook, who was born in Ashtabula, Ohio, April 23, 1838. He was a bookkeeper in Dayton for several years and then moved to Ashtabula, Ohio, where he died on a farm May 7, 1887. Henrietta Matilda married a second time, in Cleveland, Ohio, on Feb. 8, 1893, to Amory Warren Woodbury, who was born in Leominster, Massachusetts, on April 24, 1827. He was a retired property holder, and died in Springfield, Ohio, on November 3, 1899. Henrietta Matilda's only child, by her first husband, was:—

1—ROLLA FOREST, born May 17, 1866.

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ROLLA FOREST COOK was the only child of Henrietta Matilda Fish and Charles Henry Cook, and was born in Dayton, Ohio, May 17, 1866. He was a carpenter contractor and builder, and was

married in Ashtabula, Ohio on September 18, 1893, to Amoret Munsell, who was born in Ashtabula, Ohio, on June 18, 1864. Their only child is:—

1—RUTH LEOTA, born June 1, 1895, in Cleveland, Ohio.

LUTHER STOCKTON FISH was the fourth child of William and Catharine Fish, and was born December 3, 1843, in Dayton, Ohio. He received a common school education, working in his father's woolen mill during his vacation months. He served two years in the Union Army, War of the Rebellion, in the First Ohio Volunteer Heavy Artillery, enlisting July 22, 1863, for three years or during the war. His regiment was marched overland from Covington, Kentucky, to Knoxville, Tennessee, during the Winter of 1863-4, relieving General Burnside's forces immediately after the raising of the Confederate siege of that place. The regiment was assigned guard duty there, in the forts, during the greater part of its time of service. In the Fall of 1864 his company was detailed as guard on a construction train to repair the railroad between Loudonville and Chattanooga, destroyed by the Confederate General Wheeler. He received an honorable discharge at Nashville, Tennessee, July 13, 1865, by reason of the close of the war. Returning home, he engaged with his father in business. Luther Stockton Fish was married on November 22, 1866, to Agnes Marietta Sherwood, who was born August 1, 1840, in Dayton, Ohio. He moved to Cleveland, Ohio, in 1868, and engaged in the fire insurance business. There was no issue, but they adopted an 18-months-old child, William Earl Fish, born December 5, 1878, in Cleveland, Ohio, and died November 18, 1901, in Phoenix, Arizona, and was buried in Woodland Cemetery, Cleveland, Ohio. He was unmarried.

AMANDA FISH was the fifth child of William and Catharine Fish, and was born in Dayton, Ohio, May 22, 1846. She was married in Dayton, June 30, 1867, to William Edward Tanner, who was born in Springfield, Ohio, June 7, 1844. Amanda died in Dayton, Ohio, February 25, 1885. Their only child is:—

1—EDWARD LEON, born in Dayton, Ohio, November 4, 1874.

ORANGE SCOTT FISH was the sixth child of William and Catharine Fish, and was born in Springfield, Ohio, on January 2, 1848. He died in Springfield, Ohio, on April 15, 1848.

SARAH ELIZABETH FISH was the seventh child of William and Catharine Fish, and was born January 31, 1850, in Springfield, Ohio. She was married in Dayton, Ohio, on May 13, 1869, to Homer Anson Cook, who was born November 22, 1845, in Saybrook, Ohio. He was engaged in business as a contracting carpenter. Sarah Elizabeth died January 1, 1902, in Dayton, Ohio, and was buried in Woodland Cemetery. Their children are:—

1—KITTIE PALMER, born April 4, 1870.
2—MARY ELIZABETH, born December 2, 1871.
3—WILLIAM HARRY, born January 4, 1874.
4—FRANK ALVIN, born November 17, 1875, in Dayton, Ohio, and died there May 15, 1892.
5—CHARLES BURROUGHS, born May 13, 1879.
6—LUTHER GLENN, born March 27, 1881, in Dayton, Ohio.

KITTIE PALMER COOK was the first child of Sarah Elizabeth Fish and Homer Anson Cook, and was born April 4, 1870, in Dayton, Ohio. She was married on September 25, 1889, in Dayton, Ohio, to Elmer Ellsworth Maltby, a contracting painter, who was born August 25, 1862, in Dayton, Ohio. Their children are:—

1—EARL BUTTLES, born July 15, 1890, in Dayton, Ohio.
2—HOMER ANSON, born January 29, 1892, in Dayton, Ohio.
3—JESSIE ELIZABETH, born February 27, 1897, in Dayton, Ohio.
4—CLYDE ELLSWORTH, born August 30, 1898, in Dayton, Ohio.

MARY ELIZABETH COOK was the second child of Sarah Elizabeth Fish and Homer Anson Cook, and was born December 2, 1871, in Dayton, Ohio. She was married on March 23, 1902, in Dayton, Ohio, to Frank Edgar Greenwood, who was born December 16, 1869, in Indianapolis, Indiana.

WILLIAM HARRY COOK was the third child of Sarah Elizabeth Fish and

Homer Anson Cook, and was born January 4, 1874, in Dayton, Ohio. He was married on February 25, 1903, in Dayton, Ohio, to Anna Lapp, who was born October 30, 1876, in Dayton, Ohio. William Harry was engaged with the Gem City Mortgage & Loan Company, of Dayton, Ohio.

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CHARLES BURROUGHS COOK was the fifth child of Sarah Elizabeth Fish and Homer Anson Cook, and was born on May 13, 1879, in Dayton, Ohio. He was married on December 17, 1903, in Dayton, Ohio, to Susan May Brown, who was born May 23, 1881, in Johnsville, Ohio. Charles Burroughs was engaged as an assistant superintendent at Monroe, Michigan.

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MARTHA WASHINGTON FISH was the eighth child of William and Catharine Fish, and was born in London, Ohio, January 24, 1852. She was married on September 5, 1876, to Edgar Shawke Kidder, who was born in Racine, Wisconsin, on August 25, 1855. He was cashier and credit man of the Eastern Division of the Sherwin-Williams Co. Martha Washington Fish died in Bloomfield, New Jersey, on March 3, 1903, and was buried in Bloomfield Cemetery. Their children are:—

1—FANNY HUBBARD, born in Cleveland, Ohio, October 16, 1878; died there May 3, 1883.

2—RUTH MARY E., born in Cleveland, Ohio, April 13, 1883.

3—CAROLINE EDGARDA, born in Cleveland, Ohio, March 3, 1885.

4—DOROTHY ELIZABETH, born in East Orange, N. J., May 28, 1887.

5—ALMON NOËL, born in East Orange, New Jersey, Dec. 25, 1889.

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OLLIE BELLE FISH was the ninth child of William and Catharine Fish, and was born in Springfield, Ohio, on August 12, 1854. She was a Christian woman, delighting in charitable work, and died in Cleveland, Ohio, on February 3, 1897. She was unmarried.

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JESSIE LEOTA FISH was the tenth child of William and Catharine Fish, and was born in Springfield, Ohio, on October 18, 1856. She was unmarried.

ALMON BARNES FISH was the eleventh and last child of William and Catharine Fish, and was born in Dayton, Ohio, May 17, 1859. He moved to Cleveland, Ohio, on April 7, 1873, where for the past twelve years he was employed as manager of an old established paint house. He was married Jan. 29, 1895, in Bloomfield, New Jersey, to Harriette Polhemus Sutphen, who was born Nov. 18, 1871, in New Utrecht, L. I., New York. Her father was the Rev. David Schureman Sutphen, for twelve years pastor of the Reformed Dutch Church at New Utrecht. He was born April 24, 1842, in Pluckemin, New Jersey, and died March 27, 1897, in Bloomfield, New Jersey, where he was buried. He was the second son of William J. Sutphen and Elizabeth Losey. William J. Sutphen was born June 21, 1809, in Larger Cross Roads, Somerset County, New Jersey, and died May 21, 1846, in Pluckemin, New Jersey, and was buried at Bedminster, New Jersey. Elizabeth Losey was born in 1814 in Pluckemin, New Jersey, and died in Newark, New Jersey, November 18, 1873, and was buried in Bedminster, New Jersey. Harriette Polhemus Sutphen's mother, Harriette Robertson Polhemus, was the third child of Rev. Abraham Polhemus and Eliza Broadhead Heyer, and was born December 18, 1842, in Hopewell, New York. The Rev. Abraham Polhemus, D. D., was born April 30, 1812, in Hallett's Cove (now Astoria), New York, and died October 28, 1857, in Newburgh, New York, and was buried in Newark, New Jersey, where he was pastor of the North Dutch (Reformed) Church. He was married in New York city October 7, 1835, to Eliza Broadhead Heyer, who was born July 8, 1815, in New York city, and died April 29, 1901, in Newark, New Jersey, where she was buried. The children of Almon Barnes Fish are:—

1—ALMON SUTPHEN, born January 21, 1896, in Cleveland, Ohio.

2—CATHARINE LOUISE, born April 20, 1898, in Cleveland, Ohio.

3—DAVID SUTPHEN, born February 8, 1901, in Cleveland, Ohio.

LEONARD AND MARY BUVINGER.

Leonard Buvinger, Jr., was the son of Leonard, Sr., and Mary Buvinger, and was born in Strausburg, Franklin County, Pennsylvania, on October 25, 1792.

Leonard Buvinger, Sr., died July 21, 1794, and was buried in Green Castle, Franklin County, Pennsylvania. He married Mary Bucher. Leonard Buvinger, Jr., settled in Dayton in 1835, and built the first brick house on what was called the "Buck lot." He was a shoemaker by trade, his shop being on the house lot. He served in the war of 1812. He was married on December 14, 1817, to Mary Snyder, who was born in Hanover, York County, Pennsylvania, July 1, 1800, and died in Dayton, Ohio, February 19, 1868. "Uncle Leonard" and "Aunt Polly," as they were called, were universally loved, not only by their children and grandchildren, but by all who knew them. They were good staunch Methodists, and their doors were always open to the needy. They had eleven children, and four sons served in the Civil War of 1861 to 1865, all surviving the conflict. Leonard, Jr., died in Dayton, Ohio, February 16, 1870, and was buried in Woodland Cemetery. Mary Buvinger's name is a familiar one in the annals of early Methodism in Dayton, she being one of the original members of Raper Chapel. Her early education was in another branch of the Christian church, but in 1827, notwithstanding bitter opposition from her friends, she resolved to unite with the Methodist Episcopal Church. She was a member of the first class meeting organized in Hanover, Pennsylvania, and passed through many trying scenes of persecution, as in that day did most of those who joined Methodism in that region of the country. Being the only family of German descent among the Methodists of Dayton at that time, their house was the home of the first German missionaries, as well as of the English ministers. Mary Buvinger was a faithful member of the pastor's class. Her last illness was protracted and her sufferings great, but she was always calm and peaceful, and died February 19, 1868, in her sixty-eighth year. She was buried in Woodland Cemetery, Dayton, Ohio. Mary Buvinger was the daughter of Jacob and Catharine Snyder. Jacob Snyder was born in Somerset County, Pennsylvania, September 22, 1777, and died in Dayton, Ohio, July 11, 1854. He married on August 7, 1796, in Hanover, York County, Pennsylvania, Catharine Reisinger, who was born at Hanover, February 14, 1777, and died in Dayton, Ohio, July 30, 1840.

MARGARET FISH

Margaret Fish, who was the second child of Luke, Jr., and Mary Fish, was born in Carlisle, England, November 11, 1816, and died at Sumner, Illinois, June 16, 1885. She was married in 1838 to John Foster, who was born February 17, 1819, and who died February 21, 1890, in Sumner, Illinois. He was a carpenter by trade,

MARGARET FISH

but afterward a contractor and builder, in Dayton, Ohio. In 1858 he moved to Sumner, Illinois, where he purchased a stock farm. In 1862 Margaret secured a separation from John Foster, being allowed alimony. She lived in Dayton for several years, with her brother William, and then went to Brazil, Indiana, where she lived with her son, Orin Osco. John Foster married again, his second wife dying from injuries received by being thrown from a buggy. A few years afterward he married again, his third wife being Jennie Elkins, who was born September 24, 1849, in White County, Illinois. They had one child by the union, Martha Jane, who was born June 14, 1878, in Lawrence County,

Illinois. The children of Margaret and John Foster are:—

1—MARY JANE, born November 8, 1838.

2—WILLIAM THOMAS, born September 12, 1840, in Dayton, Ohio, and died there October 2, 1841.

3—HENRY, still-born, January 3, 1842, in Dayton, Ohio.

4—GEORGE, born May 26, 1843, in Dayton, Ohio, and died there July 15, 1843.

5—ERASTUS, born January 3, 1845, in Dayton, Ohio, and died there October 12, 1850.

6—JOHN FRANCISCO, born February 26, 1849.

7—ORIN OSCO, born November 16, 1851.

MARY JANE FOSTER was the first child of Margaret Fish and John Foster, and was born in Dayton, Ohio, November 8, 1838. She was married on September 29, 1857, in Dayton, Ohio, to Rufus E. Motter, who was born January 30, 1831, in Richland County (since divided into two counties, he being born in the portion now called Ashland County), near Ashland, Ohio. He was engaged in business as a miller. They lived in Dayton, Ohio, until 1861, when they moved to Brazil, Indiana, where Mary Jane died on January 8, 1875. Rufus E. Motter died June 2, 1893. Their children are:—

1—IDA CORA, born September 23, 1858.

2—JOHN EDMOND, born March 8, 1861.

IDA CORA MOTTER was the first child of Mary Jane Foster and Rufus E. Motter, and was born in Dayton, Ohio, September 23, 1858. She was married on June 11, 1874, to Davis M. Warner, who was born November 13, 1848, and who died December 3, 1881. Ida Cora died in Brazil, Indiana, on January 20, 1876. Their only child is:—

1—AMANDA JANE, born and died March 12, 1875.

JOHN EDMOND MOTTER was the second child of Mary Jane Foster and Rufus E. Motter, and was born March 8, 1861, in Dayton, Ohio. He was married on March 29, 1893, to Ida Caroline Loy. There was no issue.

JOHN FRANCISCO FOSTER was the sixth child of Margaret Fish and John Foster, and was born February 26, 1849, in Cincinnati, Ohio. He and his brother, Orin Osco, gave up business in Rockville, Indiana, to return to the farm in Sumner, Illinois, given them by their father, John Foster. In 1887 John Francisco went to Chicago, Illinois, as a bookkeeper, and then to Columbus, Ohio, where he died, May 19, 1891. He was buried at Sumner, Illinois. He was unmarried.

ORIN OSCO FOSTER was the seventh child of Margaret Fish and John Foster, and was born November 16, 1851, in Dayton, Ohio. He was married on December 3, 1896, to Jennie Elkins, who was born September 24, 1849, in White County, Illinois. Orin Osco lived on a farm in Lawrence County, Illinois, with the exception of a few years in Dayton, Ohio, until 19 years of age, when he went to Brazil, Indiana, to learn blacksmithing. He worked there two years, then went to Rockville, Indiana, and in the Fall of 1875 started a carriage shop there. His brother, John Francisco, was a partner with him for two or three years, when they sold out and went to farming in Illinois. Orin Osco stayed there a year, then went to Wichita, Kansas, running a carriage repair shop until 1889. On the opening of Oklahoma, April 22, 1889, he went there and secured 160 acres. There was no issue.

MARTHA JANE FOSTER was the only child and daughter of John and Jennie Foster, and was born in Lawrence County Illinois, on June 14, 1878. She was married at Sumner, Illinois, on March 18, 1896, to Charles Congleton Webb, who was born in Lawrence County, Illinois, on March 1, 1876. Their children are:—

1—JENNIE PEARL, born at Sumner, Illinois, on October 2, 1897.

2—WILLIAM CLIFFORD, born at Sumner, Illinois, December 3, 1899.

THOMAS FISH

Thomas Fish was the third child of Luke, Jr., and Mary Fish, and was their last child born in Carlisle, England, his birth occurring on December 2, 1818. He died in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, November 30, 1839, aged 21 years. He was unmarried.

ELIZABETH FISH

Elizabeth Fish was the fourth child of Luke, Jr., and Mary Fish, and was born near Dayton, Ohio, on March 18, 1821, being their first born in America. She died in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on December 30, 1891. She was married in 1841 to Hiram Bull, who was born near Bellbrook, Greene County, Ohio, on

ELIZABETH FISH

March 7, 1818. When four years of age his father died, leaving him with his mother, with whom he remained on the home farm until he reached his majority. In 1839, after becoming of age, he went to Shelby County to look after the land his father had entered in 1810, and began improving it, building himself a log cabin in the woods for a home. Hiram and Elizabeth were both members of the Methodist Protestant Church and worshiped under great difficulity at that time, having to travel to church on horseback. Often could they both be seen riding their horse, old Nell, with a sheepskin for a saddle and flax spun rope for

a rein. Hiram was a resident of Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, for sixty years and owned a farm of 240 acres. He died there on June 8, 1899. Their children are:—

1—NATHAN STIPP, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, April 12, 1843.

2—FRANCIS MARION, born October 10, 1845.

3—MARY CATHARINE, born January 17, 1847.

4—ERMINA TOWNLEY, born October 7, 1848.

5—JOANNA MORRIS, born November 3, 1850.

6—JAMES MADISON, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, November 18, 1853; died there September 14, 1854.

7—WILLIAM ORANGE, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, June 11, 1857.

FRANCIS MARION BULL was the second child of Elizabeth Fish and Hiram Bull, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on October 10, 1845. He was engaged as a farmer. He served in the Civil War, having enlisted on February 16, 1864, in Company E, 71st. O. V. I., for three years, or during the remainder of the war. He underwent many hardships, was at the siege of Atlanta, Georgia, and many others, when shot and shell fell like hail. After the war was declared over he was sent to the Gulf of Mexico and to Texas, being discharged in 1865. He was a charter member of Plattsville Lodge and Kirkwood Lodge of Odd Fellows, and a member of Neal Post, G. A. R. He was married on November 8, 1866, to Mary Ena Belle Applegate, who was born in Green Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on December 12, 1845. Francis Marion Bull died in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on February 17, 1904. Their children are:

1—JESSE HIRAM, born October 7, 1867.

2—CHARLES CLAYTON, born November 12, 1868.

3—NETTIE GRACE, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, December 6, 1870; died there August 25, 1872.

4—OLLIE ENA, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, August 25, 1872; died there April 26, 1875.

5—HATTIE LAVENA, born April 2, 1874.

6—BERTIE EDWARD, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, April 3, 1876.

7—MARION LEE, born November 2, 1877.

8—MELLIE ELIZABETH, born November 16, 1879.

9—EMERSON OSCAR, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, August 9, 1881; died there September 24, 1882.

10—FREDERICK KNOX, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, February 4, 1883; died there March 4, 1883.

11—CLIFFORD ARNOLD, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, April 26, 1884.

12—CARRIE MAY, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, April 10, 1887.

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JESSE HIRAM BULL was the first child of Francis Marion and Mary Ena Belle Bull, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on October 7, 1867. He was employed as an engineer in the roller plate mills at Youngstown, Ohio He was married on October 18, 1888, to Mary Alice Carey, who was born in Careysville, Ohio, on April 16, 1865. Their children are:—

1—OLA, born in Clinton Township, Shelby County, Ohio, August 25, 1889.

2—FAY MORLAND, born in Meadville, Pennsylvania, December 23, 1893.

3—LADONA, born in Clinton Township, Shelby County, Ohio, February 8, 1897.

CHARLES CLAYTON BULL was the second child of Francis Marion and Mary Ena Belle Bull, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on November 12, 1868. He was a carpenter and contractor. He was married on December 12, 1889, to Ilo Eldora Carey, who was born in Careysville, Ohio, July 30, 1870, and was a sister of Mary Alice Carey, who married Jesse Hiram Bull, a brother of Charles Clayton Bull. Their children are:—

1—OSCO EDWARD, born in Clinton Township, Shelby County, Ohio, January 4, 1891.

2—RUBY CAREY, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, August 29, 1897.

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HATTIE LAVENA BULL was the fifth child of Francis Marion and Mary Ena Belle Bull, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on April 2, 1874. She was married on August 24, 1901, to George Mentges, who was born in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, March 24, 1866, and was in business as an undertaker. He was also the inventor of a newspaper folder, the demand for which compelled him to run his works day and night. There was no issue.

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MARION LEE BULL was the seventh child of Francis Marion and Mary Ena Belle Bull, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on November 2, 1877. He was a machinist by occupation and was employed by his brother-in-law, George Mentges. Marion Lee Bull enlisted and served in the Spanish-American War. He was enrolled June 20, 1898, in Company L, Third Regiment of Ohio Volunteers, for three years, or during the war, and on his discharge papers are the words "honest and faithful." He was mustered out October 26, 1898, and was married on February 14, 1899, to Sarah Elizabeth Danford, who was born in Cynthian Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on June 11, 1882. Their children are:—

1—LADORA MARIE, born October 27, 1899, in Clinton Township, Shelby County, Ohio.

2—CLEORA MARGARET, born March 12, 1901, in Clinton Township, Shelby County, Ohio.

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MELLIE ELIZABETH BULL was the eighth child of Francis Marion and Mary Ena Belle Bull, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on November 16, 1879. She was married on November 7, 1899, to Henry Michle Roth, a farmer, who was born at Fryburg, Auglaize County, Ohio, on May 16, 1874. Their children are:—

1—JOHN FRANCIS, born in Clinton Township, Shelby County, Ohio, August 20, 1900.

2—HAROLD JOSEPH, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, January 26, 1902.

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MARY CATHARINE BULL was the third child of Elizabeth Fish and Hiram Bull, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on January 17, 1847. She was married on July 4, 1866, to John Dillon, of Miami County, Ohio, and in the year 1868 they mutually agreed to separate. Mary Catharine died in Shelby County, Ohio, on March 13, 1875. Their only child is:—

1—BENJAMIN ERASTUS, born June 19, 1867.

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BENJAMIN ERASTUS DILLON was the only child of Mary Catharine Bull and John Dillon, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on June 19, 1867. He was married by the Rev. Mr. Hale on June 7, 1903, to Dellie Maud Wikoff, who was born in Liberty Township, Adams County, Ohio, on December 11, 1873. She was the daughter of James and Mary E. Wikoff. Among his Grandfather Bull's records the following entry was found: "Benjamin Erastus Dillon. Application by Hiram Bull, to Probate Court, to have name changed to Benjamin Erastus Bull." This was granted, but in 1900 Benjamin Erastus had it changed back to Dillon by an application to the Probate Court of Shelby County, Ohio. Although he received eighty acres of home farm from his Grandfather Bull, he followed the occupation of a carpenter.

ERMINA TOWNLEY BULL was the fourth child of Elizabeth Fish and Hiram Bull, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on October 7, 1848. She was married on April 7, 1870, to Joseph Franklin Applegate, a brother of Mary Ena Belle Applegate, who married Francis Marion Bull, a brother of Ermina Townley Bull. Joseph Franklin Applegate was born in Green Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on February 25, 1849. He was a farmer. Their children are:—

1—ROLEY CLIFFORD, born in Shelby County, Ohio, April 11, 1871; died in Green Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on March 1, 1875.

2—ERASTUS FLEETWOOD, born September 8, 1872.

3—FOREST EDNEY, born March 28, 1874.

4—EDWARD JUDSON, born January 3, 1877.

5—CHARLES CLIDE, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, July 26, 1879.

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ERASTUS FLEETWOOD APPLEGATE was the second child of Ermina Townley Bull and Joseph Franklin Applegate, and was born in Shelby County, Ohio, on September 8, 1872. He was married in Miami County, Ohio, on December 12, 1899, to Daisy Agnes Cooper, who was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on January 24, 1882. Their children are:—

1—DON B, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, March 26, 1900.

2—EARL JUDSON, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, September 5, 1901; died in Green Township, Shelby County, Ohio, September 25, 1902.

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FOREST EDNEY APPLEGATE was the third child of Ermina Townley Bull and Joseph Franklin Applegate, and was born in Green Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on March 28, 1874. He was married on April 14, 1897, to Emma Elizabeth Darst, who was born in Salem Township,

Shelby County, Ohio, on April 10, 1873. Their children are:—

1—ROBERT AUGUSTUS, born in Perry Township, Shelby County, Ohio, October 18, 1897.

2—HELEN MARGUERITE, born in Green Township, Shelby County, Ohio, February 23, 1900.

3—LULAH PEARL, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, January 4, 1903.

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EDWARD JUDSON APPLEGATE was the fourth child of Ermina Townley Bull and Joseph Franklin Applegate, and was born in Shelby County, Ohio, on January 3, 1877. He served his country in the Philippines, was sick in Manila three months, laid in California ninety-nine days, and lingered about a month at home, where he died May 11, 1901, aged 24 years.

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JOANNA MORRIS BULL was the fifth child of Elizabeth Fish and Hiram Bull, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on November 3, 1850. She was married on November 9, 1871, to John Findley Meighan, who was born in Monroe Township, Warren County, Ohio, on November 6, 1849. Their children are:—

1—MINNIE BELL, born November 2, 1872.

2—WILLIAM FRANKLIN, born September 4, 1876.

3—EDNA MAE, born May 17, 1886.

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MINNIE BELL MEIGHAN was the first child of Joanna Morris Bull and John Findley Meighan, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on November 2, 1872. She was married on November 6, 1890, to Denton James Simes, who was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on December 24, 1866. Their children are:—

1—JOHN WILLIAM, born in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, October 9, 1891.

2—BERTHA MAY, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, November 10, 1893.

3—GEORGE LANTY, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, April 2, 1897.

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WILLIAM FRANKLIN MEIGHAN was the second child of Joanna Morris Bull and John Findley Meighan, and was born in Green Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on September 4, 1876. He was married in 1897 to Bertha Mabel Gilbert, who was born in Brown Township, Miami County, Ohio, on August 6, 1875. Their only child is:—

1—HELEN GERTRUDE, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, February 24, 1899, and died there February 18, 1900.

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EDNA MAE MEIGHAN was the third child of Joanna Morris Bull and John Findley Meighan,and was born in Spring-Creek Township, Miami County, Ohio, May 17, 1886. She was educated in the High School at Piqua, and was an accomplished musician. She was unmarried.

LUKE SIDNEY FISH

Luke Sidney Fish was the fifth child of Luke, Jr., and Mary Fish, and was born near Dayton, in Montgomery County, Ohio, on March 31, 1823. He was married on May 23, 1849, to Isabella Voress Higgins, who was born at Reading, Hamilton County, Ohio, on September 19, 1828, and died near Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, on June 11, 1857. Luke Sidney Fish married again on September 30, 1858, to Sarah Jane Patton, who was born near Lexington, Kentucky, on June 16, 1827, and died near Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, on July 31, 1892. There was no issue by his second wife. His children, by his first wife, are:—

1—RALPH LUDLOW, born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, June 27, 1851, and died there February 3, 1857.

2—WILLIAM ALEXANDER, born September 15, 1852.

3—GEORGE GOODLOW, born March 4, 1854.

4—THOMAS MILTON, born May 21, 1855.

5—ANNA BELLE, born April 23, 1857.

WILLIAM ALEXANDER FISH was the second child of Luke Sidney and Isabella V. Fish, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on

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September 15, 1852. He was married on December 28, 1871, to Elizabeth Adaline Sorver, who was born in Green Township, Shelby County, Ohio, September 11, 1855. Their children are: —

1—BABY FISH, still-born, in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, August 15, 1872.

2—ROLANDUS, born in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, August 15, 1872.

ROLANDUS FISH was the son of William Alexander and Elizabeth Adaline Fish, and was born in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, August 15, 1872. He married Anna Emily Merrill, who was born in Manhattan, Kansas, January 14, 1874. Their children are:—

1—BERTRAM, born November 5, 1896,

in Denver, Colorado, and died there November 6, 1896.

2—BABY FISH, born March 10, 1898, in Denver, Colorado, and died there March 11, 1898.

3—MARY ANITA, born December 31, 1900, in Denver, Colorado.

4—HARLEY ALBERT, born December 1, 1902, in Denver, Colorado, and died there February 6, 1903.

5—HELEN MARIE, born November 13, 1903, in Denver, Colorado.

GEORGE GOODLOW FISH was the third child of Luke Sidney and Isabella V. Fish, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on March 4, 1854. He was married on February 6, 1879, to Brazell Hannah Maxwell, who was born in Perry Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on March 24, 1853. Their only child is:—

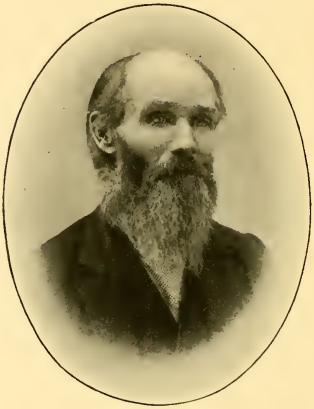
1—BERTHA MILDRED, born October 26, 1880, in Circleville, Pickaway County, Ohio.

THOMAS MILTON FISH was the fourth child of Luke Sidney and Isabella V. Fish, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on May 21, 1855. He was married on December 28, 1883, to Mary Elizabeth Robinson, who was born in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, on November 9, 1854. She died in Green Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on March 6, 1885, in giving birth to a son, who survived her thirteen days, and was never christened.

ANNA BELLE FISH was the only daughter and fifth child of Luke Sidney and Isabella V. Fish, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on April 23, 1857. She was married on December 28, 1876, at her father's home, to Eleazar Fin Henry, born in Perry Township, near Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, August 15, 1849. They lived in Ohio until the Spring of 1885, when they moved to Kinsley, Kansas, living there until April, 1886, when they moved to Bentonville, Benton County, Arkansas, where they now live, and where Eleazar Fin Henry has been engaged in the real estate business for over sixteen years. There was no issue.

EDWARD FISH

Edward Fish was the sixth child of Luke, Jr., and Mary Fish, and was born near Dayton, Ohio, on August 7, 1825. He moved north of Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, and worked on his father's farm until his marriage on July 25, 1847, to Charity John, who was born in Madison County, Indiana, on April 21, 1825. They moved in 1857 to Madison County, Indiana, north of Chesterfield, where they bought a farm of 80 acres, living there



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until 1871, when they sold out and bought a place west of Moonsville, in Madison County, Indiana, where Charity Fish died on December 8, 1877. Edward Fish married again on March 17, 1884, to Margaret Montague, but there was no issue by the union. Edward Fish died west of Moonsville, in Madison County, Indiana, on August 29, 1894. The children of Edward and Charity Fish are:—

1—GEORGE WASHINGTON WEBSTER, born October 30, 1849, near Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, and died there September 22, 1850.

2—WILLIAM SCOTT, born July 6, 1851.

3—JAMES EDWARD, born August 18, 1853.

4—LUKE ORANGE, born April 26, 1855.

5—CHARLES WESLEY, born December 15, 1858.

6—HANNAH JANE, born October 1, 1860.

7—MORRIS JACKSON, born July 26, 1863, in Madison County, Indiana, and died there October 8, 1863.

8—SUSAN MARIETTA, born November 2, 1864, in Madison County, Indiana, and died there April 3, 1871, from the effects of a burn by falling in a kettle of syrup.

WILLIAM SCOTT FISH was the second child of Edward and Charity Fish, and was born July 6, 1851, north of Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio. He moved with his parents in 1857 to Madison County, Indiana. He was married on September 3, 1877, to Jane Riley, who was born in Madison County, Indiana, November 8, 1852. William Scott Fish died March 1, 1894. Their only child is:—

1—CORNELIA PHNER, born September 23, 1878.

CORNELIA PHNER, who was the only child of William Scott and Jane Fish, was born September 23, 1878. She was married on July 1, 1896, to Wallace Stuard, who was born in Putnam County, Indiana, September 1, 1873. There was no issue.

JAMES EDWARD FISH was the third child of Edward and Charity Fish, and was born north of Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, on August 18, 1853. In the year 1857 he moved, with his parents, near Chesterfield, Madison County, Indiana. At the age of 15 he was hired to David Butler Sims, with whom he worked on the farm during the Summer and attended school in the Winter for a period of eight years. He went home for one year, and farmed with his father. He was married on February 23, 1880, to Maria Malishia Snider, who was born in Delaware County, Indiana, on March 24, 1863. Their children are:—

1—CHARITY JANE, born April 14, 1882.

2—AMANDA ESTHER, born April 4, 1884.

3—WILLIAM EDWARD ALBERT, born November 4, 1886, in Daleville, Delaware County, Indiana.

4—ELIAS PERRY, born August 20, 1889, in Daleville, Delaware County, Indiana.

5—CLARK WESLEY, born April 15, 1891, in Daleville, Delaware County, Indiana.

6—JAMES LESLIE, born September 18, 1894, in Daleville, Delaware County, Indiana, and died there September 25, 1896.

7—RAMON HAROLD, born June 19, 1897, in Daleville, Delaware County, Indiana.

8—CARROLL FOSTER, born February 15, 1900, in Daleville, Delaware County, Indiana.

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CHARITY JANE FISH was the first child and daughter of James Edward and Maria Malishia Fish, and was born northwest of Daleville, Delaware County, Indiana, on April 14, 1882. She was married December 1, 1901, in Daleville, to Ward Beecher Lemon, who was born east of Daleville, in Delaware County, Indiana, on April 27, 1874. Their only child is:—

1—MABEL LUCILLA, born October 11, 1903, in Daleville, Delaware County, Indiana.

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AMANDA ESTHER FISH was the second child of James Edward and Maria Malishia Fish, and was born northwest of Daleville, Delaware County, Indiana, on April 4, 1884. She was married on February 23, 1902, to John Martin Rinker, who was born in Jay County, Indiana, on May 22, 1881. Their only child is:—

1—EMORY ALLEN, born June 17, 1903, in Delaware County, Indiana.

LUKE ORANGE FISH was the fourth child of Edward and Charity Fish, and was born April 26, 1855, in Shelby County, Ohio. He moved with his parents in 1857 to a farm in Madison County, Indiana. He was married on December 15, 1879, to Laura Belle Lemon, who died September 3, 1902. She was the mother of thirteen children, among them being five pairs of twins. Their children are:—

BABY, girl, born Sept. 13, 1881, south of Moonsville, Madison County, Indiana; died aged 1 day.

2—VALENTINE EDWARD, born September 13, 1881, south of Moonsville, Madison County, Indiana.

3—MINNIE BELLE, born December 20, 1882, in Daleville, Delaware County, Indiana.

4—JURY, born December 20, 1882, in Daleville, Delaware County. Indiana.

5—CHARLES NELSON, born April 29, 1884, in Anderson, Madison County, Indiana.

6—JAMES HENRY, born January 23, 1886, in Anderson, Madison County, Indiana.

7—ROSETTA, born January 23, 1886, in Anderson, Madison County, Indiana.

8—EVALINE, born June 13, 1890, in Anderson, Madison County, Indiana.

9—LUKE ORANGE, born January 3, 1893, in Anderson, Madison County, Indiana.

10—ARTHUR, born March 15, 1895, in Anderson, Madison County, Indiana.

11—ALBERT, born March 15, 1895, in Anderson, Madison County, Indiana.

12—STELLA, born October 7, 1898, in Anderson, Madison County, Indiana; died April 12, 1904.

13—HAZEL, born October 7, 1898, in Anderson, Madison County, Indiana.

JURY FISH was the daughter of Luke Orange and Laura Belle Fish, and was born December 20, 1882, in Daleville, Delaware County, Indiana. She was married on June 17, 1901, to Bernard Maddon, who was born in Richmond, Indiana, July 19, 1872. Their children are:—

1—HELLEN KATHERINE, born October 10, 1902, in Anderson, Madison County, Indiana.

2—MILDRED MARIE, born October 1, 1903, in Anderson, Madison County, Indiana.

CHARLES WESLEY FISH, was the fifth child of Edward and Charity Fish, and was born December 15, 1858, in Richland Township, Madison County, Indiana. He married, on August 5, 1885, Ruth Ann

Nealis, who was born in Hancock County, Indiana, on December 5, 1867. Their children are:—

1—CHARITY ANN, born June 14, 1886, in Richland Township, Madison County, Indiana.

2—AMANDA MARIA, born December 30, 1887, in Richland Township, Madison County, Indiana.

3—SOLEY, born January 20, 1890, in Richland Township, Madison County, Indiana.

4—JOHN EDWARD, born October 13, 1893, in Richland Township, Madison County, Indiana.

5—MARY BELLE, born March 20, 1896, in Richland Township, Madison County, Indiana.

6—ROBERT HUGH, born August 15, 1898, in Richland Township, Madison County, Indiana.

7—HULDAH CATHARINE, born February 3, 1901, in Richland Township, Madison County, Indiana.

8—ERNEST OTTERBIN, born May 13, 1903, in Richland Township, Madison County, Indiana.

HANNAH JANE FISH was the sixth child of Edward and Charity Fish, and was born October 1, 1860, near Chesterfield, Madison County, Indiana. She was married on November 21, 1882, to Miles Noble, who was born August 8, 1862, near Alexandria, Madison County, Indiana. Their children are:—

1—NETTIE ORDAIN, born March 17, 1884.

2—JESSE ELMER, born June 7, 1886, near Valley Falls, Jefferson County, Kansas.

3—BENTON ORAL, born April 8, 1893, in Anderson, Madison County, Indiana.

4—BABY NOBLE, a girl, unnamed, born January 14, 1901, in Anderson, Madison County, Indiana, and died there on January 16, 1901, being only two days old.

5—JOHN ONEY, born June 4, 1903, in Anderson, Madison County, Indiana.

NETTIE ORDAIN NOBLE was the first child of Hannah Jane Fish and Miles Noble, and was born March 17, 1884, near Alexandria, Madison County, Indiana. She was married on July 3, 1900, to Charles Smith, who was born in Howard County, Indiana, April 5, 1880. Their only child is:—

1—FLORENCE JEANNETTE, born January 2, 1902, in Pendleton, Madison County, Indiana.

MARY JANE FISH

Mary Jane Fish was the seventh child of Luke, Jr., and Mary Fish, and was born August 15, 1827, at Dayton, Ohio. She was married in Sidney, Ohio, on

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June 18, 1848, to the Rev. Rhodes Randolph, who was born in Ridgeville, Warren County, Ohio, on June 17, 1824. They moved to Indiana in September, 1863, locating at Antioch, now Andrews, where they lived for thirteen years, after which they purchased a farm in Polk Township, near Harlansburg, and lived there until 1898, when they located on a tract near Warren. Two years afterward they

went to Huntington and built a residence on Cline Street. Rev. Rhodes Randolph was an active member of the Methodist church all his life, having joined the church when seventeen years of age. For thirty-two years he was a licensed preacher, having received his pulpit credentials from Bishop Ames at a Conference held in Huntington in 1871. He died August 30, 1903, in Huntington, Indiana, and was buried in Riverside Cemetery, at Andrews, Indiana. Their children are:—

1—MARGARET ELIZABETH, born September 22, 1849.

2—SUSAN PENINAH, born August 24, 1853.

3—CHARLES ROSS, born July 19, 1856.

4—WILLIAM BUTLER, born November 12, 1858.

5—LIDA JANE, born March 24, 1861.

6—GEORGE WINTRODE, born December 14, 1862.

7—JOHN WESLEY, born April 2, 1865.

MARGARET ELIZABETH RANDOLPH, who was the first child of Mary Jane Fish and Rhodes Randolph, was born September 22, 1849, in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, and died April 10, 1903, in Powhattan, Brown County, Kansas. She married James Harvey Adams, who was born in Rockville, Park County, Indiana, on March 18, 1842. He served in the Civil War in Company E of the 47th Regiment of Indiana Volunteers, of the Army of the Mississippi, which operated from Island No. 10 to the Gulf of Mexico. He was enrolled at Indianapolis on October 24, 1861, by Captain Wintrode, and was duly mustered into the military service of the United States, at Indianapolis, December 13, 1861, for the term of three years, by Lieutenant Eby. He was mustered out on October 23, 1865, as sergeant. He was 48 days in the rifle pits in the siege of Vicksburg, and though always at the front during the time of his service he had no hospital record. James Harvey Adams died March 17, 1904, at Kansas, City, Kansas. Their children are:—

1—SCHUYLER RANDOLPH, born August 11, 1868.

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2—INA MAY, born September 11, 1873.

3—ORA ROSCOE, born October 25, 1875.

4—MARY EMMA, born May 17, 1878, in Antioch (now Andrews), Huntington County, Indiana. She died May 8, 1879, in Leroy, Michigan, and was buried at Andrews, Indiana.

5—CHARLES HENRY, born November 25, 1883, in Baker, Kansas.

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SCHUYLER RANDOLPH ADAMS was the first child of Margaret Elizabeth Randolph and James Harvey Adams, and was born August 11, 1868, in Antioch (now Andrews), Huntington County, Indiana. He married Elizabeth Ann Marriott, who was born in Blairton, Canada, on June 12, 1867. He was employed as a locomotive fireman. Their children are:—

1—ALVA CECIL, born December 26, 1896, in Powhattan, Brown County, Kansas.

2—INA MAY, born June 4, 1898, in Litchfield, Illinois.

3—MARY MAURINE, born July 31, 1899, in Bloomington, Illinois.

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INA MAY ADAMS was the second child of Margaret Elizabeth Randolph and James Harvey Adams, and was born September 11, 1873, in Antioch (now Andrews), Huntington County, Indiana. She married Clarence Zimmerman, a blacksmith and wagon maker, of Powhattan, Kansas, who was born April 22, 1868, in Mt. Pocono, Monroe County, Pennsylvania. Their children are:—

1—ALTA MURIEL, born March 23, 1895, at Powhattan, Brown County, Kansas, and died August 1, 1895, at Powhattan, Brown County, Kansas.

2—DANIEL ARVEL, born February 12, 1897, at Powhattan, Brown County, Kansas.

3—VIVIAN IONE, born October 31, 1898, at Powhattan, Brown County, Kansas.

ORA ROSCOE ADAMS was the third child of Margaret Elizabeth Randolph and James Harvey Adams, and was born October 25, 1875, in Antioch (now Andrews), Huntington County, Indiana. He was a conductor on the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad. He married Carrie Effa Springer, who was born in Phillipsburg, Phillips County, Kansas, on December 17, 1881. Their only child is:

1—HARVEY OLIVER, born April 9, 1902, in Horton, Kansas.

SUSAN PENINAH RANDOLPH was the second child of Mary Jane Fish and Rhodes Randolph, and was born August 24, 1853, in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio. She married John Quincy Adams, who served in the Civil War as a private in Company H, Ninetieth Regiment of Indiana Volunteers. He was enrolled at Indianapolis, on November 2, 1864, and was duly mustered into the military service of the United States at Indianapolis, on the same day, by Captain Dunn, and was mustered out on June 15, 1865. He died on April 3, 1875, in Andrews, Indiana, from the effects of exposure contracted during service. John Quincy Adams was a brother of James Harvey Adams, who married Margaret Elizabeth Randolph, a sister of Susan P. Randolph. Susan P. was married a second time to John Albert Fisher, born at Mt. Etna, Indiana, July 5, 1862. There were two sons by her first marriage. Her children are:—

1—MELVIN HARVEY, born April 18, 1873, in Antioch (now Andrews), Huntington County, Indiana. He was unmarried.

2—JOHN QUINCY, born June 12, 1875, in Antioch (now Andrews), Huntington County, Indiana, and died October 12, 1900, in Huntington, Indiana. He was unmarried.

CHARLES ROSS RANDOLPH was the third child of Mary Jane Fish and Rhodes Randolph, and was born July 19, 1856, in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio. He was a contractor and builder. He married Cyrena Ellen Starbuck, who

was born in Richmond, Wayne County, Indiana, on February 23, 1856. Their only child was:—

1—LULU CLAIR, born April 29, 1890, in Afton, Indian Territory, Cherokee Nation.

WILLIAM BUTLER RANDOLPH was the fourth child of Mary Jane Fish and Rhodes Randolph, and was born November 12, 1858, in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio. In 1887 he entered the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in the North Indiana Conference, but had to discontinue the work in 1889 on account of a complete breakdown in health, which occurred at Fountain City. As a result of this he was given a supernumerary relation to the North Indiana Conference and at the time of his death, on February 10, 1904, at Logansport, was a superannuated member of the conference. Before his death he was engaged in secular pursuits, being a commercial traveler. As boy, man and minister he was always pleasant, and in the pulpit energetic and able, being gifted in prayer and sermonizing. He was a member of the Ben Hur fraternity. The obsequies took place in Huntington, Indiana, on February 13, the Rev. Mr. Runkle, of Marion; the Rev. Mr. Guild and the Rev. Mr. Robinson, of Huntington, officiating. He was interred at Mt. Hope Cemetery. William Butler Randolph was married in 1885 to Laura Anne Miller, who was born February 3, 1862, in Markle, Indiana. Their children are:—

1—EOLA FERN, born February 12, 1886, in Mt. Etna, Huntington County, Indiana.

2—FOSS BUTLER, born February 15, 1889, in Knightstown, Indiana.

3—PAUL MILLER, born May 8, 1895, in Marion, Indiana.

LIDA JANE RANDOLPH was the fifth child of Mary Jane Fish and Rhodes Randolph, and was born March 24, 1861, in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio. She married Oliver Nathan Snider, born December 5, 1854, in Mt. Etna, Huntington County, Indiana. He taught in the public schools of Huntington County for a peri-

od of seven years prior to engaging in business as a grocer. Their only son was:—

1—WILBUR RANDOLPH, born September 6, 1891, in Harlansburgh, Huntington County, Indiana.

GEORGE WINTRODE RANDOLPH was the sixth child of Mary Jane Fish and Rhodes Randolph, and was born December 14, 1862, in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio. He was Superintendent of the Hadley Industrial School for Orphan Girls, near Indianapolis, supported by the Women's Christian Temperance Union of the State of Indiana. He married Caroline Shipps, who was born March 5, 1871, in Arcadia, Indiana. There was no issue.

JOHN WESLEY RANDOLPH was the seventh and last child of Mary Jane Fish and Rhodes Randolph, and was born April 2, 1865, in Antioch (now Andrews), Huntington County, Indiana. He married Elizabeth Thrasher, born February 15, 1871, in Roanoke, Indiana. Their only child is:—

1—BEULAH MAUDE, born February 4, 1893, in Roanoke, Indiana.

JAMES FISH

James Fish was the eighth child of Luke, Jr., and Mary Fish, and was born on a farm near Dayton, Ohio, on August 28, 1829. He moved to Shelby County, Ohio, with his father, when a boy in his teens, where he helped to clear a large farm near Sidney. James Fish married while there, and lived on his father's farm for several years. In 1860 he moved near Sumner, Lawrence County, Illinois, living there six years, when he returned in the Spring of 1865 to his old home at the urgent request of his father. He lived there two years, and on the death of his father moved in 1868 to near Troy, Miami County, Ohio, where he died on May 5, 1902. James Fish married on October 12, 1854, Mary Denman, who was born near Fletcher, Miami County, Ohio, on October 27, 1834. She was a school teacher, and previous to her marriage was engaged as a milliner. She was a woman

of more than ordinary education for that period, and was known as a most devout Christian and church worker, and held a

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life membership in a Missionary Society. She died near Troy, Ohio, on May 13, 1893. Their children are:—

1—FLORA AGNES, born November 23, 1855.

2—FRANK LEOTUS, born November 12, 1858.

3—JOHN CLARENCE, born May 23, 1860.

4—CHARLES ALBERT, born July 26, 1862.

5—RUFUS, born November 24, 1864.

6—WILLIAM AYERS, born June 21, 1868.

7—JAMES EDWIN, born August 12, 1870.

8—ELMER, born August 4, 1875.

FLORA AGNES FISH, who was the first and only daughter of James and Mary Fish, was born near Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, November 23, 1855, and died in Troy, Ohio, October 17, 1898. She mar-

ried Henry Conklin, who was born October 2, 1847, in Troy, Ohio. There was no issue.

FRANK LEOTUS FISH was the second child of James and Mary Fish, and was born near Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, on November 12, 1858. Very early in life he went to Illinois. where he lived six years on a farm on the prairies, and returning to Ohio, was engaged on a farm till he was 21 years of age. After that time he was a clerk in the retail grocery business for thirteen years, and later was employed for many years as a traveling salesman for a house in Dayton, Ohio. Frank Leotus Fish was married in Troy, Ohio, to Nanna Maria Armstrong, who was born in Tippecanoe City, Ohio, on March 30, 1863. After finishing at school she was a clerk in Troy and Cincinnati, and previous to her marriage was a milliner. Their children are:—

1—CLARA ARMSTRONG, born May 30, 1888, in Troy, Ohio.

2—GLADYS LEOTA, born February 1, 1897, in Dayton, Ohio.

JOHN CLARENCE FISH was the third child of James and Mary Fish, and was born near Sumner, Lawrence County, Illinois, on May 26, 1860. He was engaged in business as a feed and cornmeal merchant. He married Jane Hetzler, born near Piqua, Miami County, Ohio, on December 2, 1865. Their children are:—

1—WILLIAM ROY, born January 9, 1889, near Troy, Ohio.

2—RUFUS EARL, born June 22, 1893, near Troy, Ohio.

3—FREDERICK J, born May 30, 1896, near Troy, Ohio; died in Troy, Ohio, April 2, 1901.

CHARLES ALBERT FISH was the fourth child of James and Mary Fish, and was born near Sumner, Lawrence County, Illinois, on July 26, 1862. He was engaged in business as a farmer near Troy, Ohio. He married Rosa Belle Iddings, who was born in Troy, Ohio, on August 28, 1865. Their children are:—

1—ALFRED JAMES, born December 16, 1893, in Celina, Ohio.

2—WALTER IDDINGS, born September 4, 1900, in Troy, Ohio.

RUFUS FISH was the fifth child of James and Mary Fish, and was born near Sumner, Lawrence County, Illinois, on November 24, 1864. He received his education in the country schools and followed the occupation of a farmer until 28 years of age, when he moved to Troy, Miami County, Ohio, and there entered the employ of the principal grain merchants as weighmaster, a position he held for eleven years, relinquishing it on being elected superintendent of the Knoop Children's Home of Miami County, Ohio, which position he now holds. The home contains about sixty children. He married Mary Jane Walker, who was born near Piqua, Miami Countly, Ohio, on May 19, 1863. They had no issue, and therefore it was fitting they should look after the children of the county.

WILLIAM AYERS FISH was the sixth child of James and Mary Fish, and was born near Troy, Miami County, Ohio, on June 21, 1868. He was accidentally killed at that place on March 26, 1880, being only 12 years of age.

JAMES EDWIN FISH was the seventh child of James and Mary Fish, and was born in Miami County, near Troy, Ohio, August 12, 1870. He moved from Troy to Dayton, Ohio, on October 20, 1890. He was employed as a grocery clerk for four years and afterward as a wholesale clerk until leaving Troy, when he accepted a position as woodworker in Dayton, Ohio. James Edwin served four years in the Ohio National Guard as sergeant, and has an honorable discharge, his papers being signed by the martyred President, William McKinley. He was married in Dayton, Ohio, on October 18, 1896, to Jennie Archer DeVore, who was born in Neoga, Illinois, on March 29, 1871. Their children are:—

1—ELLWOOD JAMES, born in Dayton, Ohio, July 15, 1897.

2—ROBERT EDWIN, born in Dayton, Ohio, October 27, 1898.

3—RAYMOND CHARLES, born in Dayton, Ohio, July 31, 1901.

ELMER FISH was the eighth and last child of James and Mary Fish, and was born on a farm four miles northwest of Troy, Ohio, on August 4, 1875. He was for some years the foreman of the McKinnon Dash and Hardware Manufacturing Company, of Troy, Ohio. He married Elizabeth Longendelpher, born January 29, 1874, on a farm four and a half miles northwest of Troy, Ohio. Their only child is:—

1—WILBUR, born on a farm near Casstown, Ohio, July 20, 1897.

GEORGE WASHINGTON FISH

George Washington Fish was the ninth child of Luke, Jr., and Mary Fish, and was born in Dayton, Montgomery

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County, Ohio, on February 22, 1832. He was married on October 28, 1854, to Amanda Douglas Buchanan, who was born in Dayton, Montgomery County, Ohio, on May 28, 1832, the ceremony taking place at the home of her parents, David and Mary Buchanan. George Washington Fish served one hundred

days in the Civil War, in Company K of the 134th Regiment of Ohio infantry. The term of his enlistment was short, but it was distinguished by memorable events in the Valley of the Shenandoah, on the Peninsula, in operations on the James River, around Petersburg and Richmond, in the battle of Monocacy, in the entrenchments at Washington, and at other important points, and was honorably discharged on December 15, 1864. He moved to Wood County, Ohio, in May, 1867, it then being a dense forest, except a small plot of ground on which they built a log cabin. The log cabin is still there as an old landmark. Amanda Douglas Fish died at Deshler, Henry County, Ohio, on March 8, 1886, and George Washington Fish died at the same place on March 1, 1891. Their children are:—

1—MARY BELLE, born November 17, 1855.

2—ANASTASIA ERNESTINE, born September 22, 1857.

3—JESSE LINCOLN, born August 9, 1859.

4—NETTIE PERDITA, born July 28, 1862.

5—LULU IONA, born November 24, 1865.

MARY BELLE FISH was the first child of George Washington and Amanda Fish, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, Nov. 17, 1855. She was married on March 8, 1878, to Nathaniel Henry Dishong, who was born in Harrisonville, Fulton County, Pennsylvania, January 19, 1851. At the time of their marriage Nathaniel Henry Dishong was a farmer, but in February, 1898, he and his family moved to Toledo, Ohio, where he went into business for himself, establishing a meat market. Their children are:—

1—QUEENIE WINIFRED, born May 23, 1878.

2—EVA GRACE, born September 11, 1883.

3—MYRTLE DESSIE, born October 25, 1885, in Wood County, Ohio.

4—NETTIE GERTRUDE, born January 6, 1888, in Wood County, Ohio.

5—GEORGE HENRY, born November 17, 1890, in Wood County, Ohio.

QUEENIE WINIFRED DISHONG was the first child of Mary Belle Fish and Nathaniel Henry Dishong, and was born in Wood County, Ohio, on May 23, 1878. She was married on July 15, 1896, to Walter Lavan Westlake, who was born in Millbrook, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, on September 15, 1871. He was a tool dresser by occupation. Their children are:—

1—BABY WESTLAKE, at Kilgore, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, May 6, 1897; was stillborn.

2—GRACE ROENA, born March 13, 1899, in Wesley, Venango County, Pennsylvania.

3—KENNETH, born July 21, 1900, in Glade Mills, Butler County, Pennsylvania; died there March 1, 1901.

4—MARGARET BELLE, born January 26, 1902, in Glade Mills, Butler County, Pennsylvania.

EVA GRACE DISHONG was the second child of Mary Belle Fish and Nathaniel Henry Dishong, and was born in Wood County, Ohio, on September 11, 1883. She was married on April 2, 1902, to John Franklin Wheeler, who was born in Wapakoneta, Auglaize County, Ohio, on July 6, 1880. He was manager of the Deshler Electric Light Company. Their only child is:—

1—HERBERT LAVAN, born April 7, 1903, in Deshler, Henry County, Ohio.

ANASTASIA ERNESTINE FISH was the second child of George Washington and Amanda Fish, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on Sept. 22, 1857. She was married on November 25, 1880, to Frank Marion Shaffstall, who was born in Portage, Wood County, Ohio, on September 13, 1857. She died on January 17, 1881, in Deshler, Henry County, Ohio. There was no issue.

JESSE LINCOLN FISH was the third child of George Washington and Amanda Fish, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on Aug. 9, 1859. He died in Deshler, Henry County, Ohio, on Dec. 27, 1880. He was unmarried.

NETTIE PERDITA FISH was the fourth child of George Washington and

Amanda Fish, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio., on July 28, 1862. She was unmarried.

LULU IONA FISH was the fifth and last child of George Washington and Amanda Fish, and was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, O., on Nov. 24, 1865. She was married on August 19, 1882, to Frank Marion Shaffstall, who was born in Portage, Wood County, Ohio, on September 13, 1857. He was engaged in farming. Their children are:—

1—GEORGE LINCOLN, born May 19, 1883, in Wood County, Ohio.

2—MEARLE DOUGLAS, born November 20, 1886, in Wood County, Ohio.

3—FLORENCE CATHARINE, born September 30, 1891, in Wood County, Ohio.

GEORGE LINCOLN SHAFFSTALL was the first child of Lulu Iona Fish and Frank Marion Shaffstall, and was born near Deshler, Henry County, Ohio, on May 19, 1883. He followed the life of a farmer, and was married on July 3, 1903, to Mabel Dubbs, who was born in Milton Center, Wood County, Ohio, on April 5, 1880. Their only child is:—

1—MERLE RICHARD, born December 21, 1903, in Jackson Township, Wood County, Ohio.

HANNAH FISH

Hannah Fish was the tenth child of Luke, Jr., and Mary Fish, and was born in Montgomery County, Ohio, on July 16, 1834. She was married on October 7, 1852, to Robert Webster Clay Buchanan, Sr., a farmer, who was born in Montgomery County, Ohio, on August 8, 1830. He was a private under Captain David B. Rinehart, Company K, of the 134th Regiment of Ohio Volunteers, and was enrolled May 6, 1864, to serve one hundred days, and was a charter member of Lodge No. 520, Free and Accepted Masons, of Deshler, Ohio, being its Worshipful Master during the years 1882 to 1886. He moved to Wood County, Ohio, in 1867, and lived in a log cabin, surrounded by woods, but which is now cleared for miles around.

He died in Wood County, Ohio, on October 9, 1900. Their children are:—

1—GEORGE LUKE, born August 25, 1853.
2—MARY ROSALTHA, born December 29, 1855.
3—HANNAH MARGARET, born May 29, 1858.
4—IDA MAUDE GASTON, born June 29, 1860.

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5—ELIZABETH JANE, born February 18, 1863.
6—MINNIE ELLANORA, born December 26, 1865.
7—JOHN DAVID, born Oct. 11, 1869.
8—ROBERT WEBSTER CLAY, JR., born December 15, 1872.

GEORGE LUKE BUCHANAN was the first child of Hannah Fish and Robert Webster Clay Buchanan, Sr., and was born in Shelby County, Ohio, on August 25, 1853. He died in Deshler, Ohio, on December 26, 1881. He was unmarried.

MARY ROSALTHA BUCHANAN was the second child of Hannah Fish and

Robert Webster Clay Buchanan, Sr., and was born in Shelby County, Ohio, on December 29, 1855. She was married on April 17, 1873, to John Farquharson, who was born in Aberdeenshire, Scotland, on November 18, 1848. Their children are:—

1—BRUCE, born March 24, 1874.

2—ROBERT, born in Wood County, Ohio, March 23, 1876.

3—MAGGIE MAUDE, born in Wood County, Ohio, September 17, 1879.

4—GEORGIE, born in Wood County, Ohio, March 15, 1884; died in Deshler, Ohio, March 14, 1885.

5—DON DOUGLAS, born in Wood County, Ohio, September 9, 1886.

6—OPAL LENORA, born in Wood County, Ohio, December 8, 1888; died in Deshler, O., August 31, 1889.

7—CHARLES WEBSTER, born in Wood County, Ohio, November 13, 1890; died in Deshler, Ohio, September 7, 1892.

8—DOROTHY, born in Wood County, Ohio, November 16, 1897.

BRUCE FARQUHARSON was the first child of Mary Rosaltha Buchanan and John Farquharson, and was born in Wood County, Ohio, March 24, 1874. He married Lizzie Ann Powers, who was born in Deshler, Ohio, on September 27, 1876. Their children are:—

1—LEORA ROSALTHA, born in Deshler, Ohio, December 29, 1896.

2—JOHN ROBERT, born in Wood County, near Deshler, Ohio, November 26, 1898.

3—ANDY McKINLEY, born in Wood County, near Deshler, Ohio, November 6, 1900.

4—TEDDY, born in Wood County, near Deshler, Ohio, Nov. 26, 1902.

HANNAH MARGARET BUCHANAN was the third child of Hannah Fish and Robert Webster Clay Buchanan, Sr., and was born in Shelby County, Ohio, on May 29, 1858. She was married on April 4, 1882, to Albert Arlington McFadden, a mail carrier, who was born in Portage, Wood County, Ohio, on December 23, 1854. Their children are: —

1—INA MAY, born May 12, 1883.

2—NOAH EARL, born in Wood County, Ohio, August 28, 1884.
3—GEORGE WEBSTER, born in Wood County, Ohio, April 9, 1886.
4—RILLA PEARL, born in Wood County, Ohio, March 6, 1888.

INA MAY McFADDEN was the first child of Hannah Margaret Buchanan and Albert Arlington McFadden, and was born in Wood County, Ohio, on May 12, 1883. She was married on July 27, 1901, to George Wright Myrice, who was born near Portage, Wood County, Ohio, on April 27, 1878.

IDA MAUDE GASTON BUCHANAN was the fourth child of Hannah Fish and Robert Webster Clay Buchanan, Sr., and was born in Shelby County, Ohio, on June 29, 1860. She was married on June 29, 1882, to John Van Horn, by occupation a carpenter, who was born near Grand Rapids, Wood County, Ohio, on June 23, 1857. Their children are:—

1—VERNON BLAINE, born in Wood County, Ohio, August 3, 1884.
2—DARREL D, born in Wood County, Ohio, June 9, 1886.
3—IDA MAUDE, born in Wood County, Ohio, January 23, 1888.
4—GLEN AUBREY, born in Wood County, Ohio, June 5, 1890.
5—NELLIE BERYL, born in Wood County, Ohio, February 16, 1894.
6—BESSIE GRACE, born in Wood County, Ohio, Nov. 5, 1901; died near Deshler, Ohio, Nov. 2, 1902.

ELIZABETH JANE BUCHANAN was the fifth child of Hannah Fish and Robert Webster Clay Buchanan, Sr., and was born in Shelby County, Ohio, on February 18, 1863, and died in Wood County, near Deshler, Ohio, on November 11, 1895. She was married on January 14, 1886, to William Alford Lyle, a farmer, who was born in McConnelsville, Morgan County, Ohio, on November 4, 1861. Their children are:—

1—GLADYS ELLANORA, born in Wood County, near Deshler, Ohio, August 13, 1886.
2—MADGE WILMA, born in Wood County, near Deshler, Ohio, February 10, 1889.

3—ROBERT EMMET, born in Wood County, near Deshler, Ohio, September 8, 1892.

4—JENNIE, born in Wood County, near Deshler, Ohio, October 30, 1895.

MINNIE ELLANORA BUCHANAN was the sixth child of Hannah Fish and Robert Webster Clay Buchanan, Sr., and was born in Shelby County, Ohio, on December 26, 1865. She was married in October, 1890, to Elijah Turner Kline, a farmer, who was born near Shawtown, in Putnam County, Ohio, August 3, 1861. Their children are:—

1—GEORGE RAY, born July 25, 1891, in Wood County, near Deshler, O.

2—JENNIE VERA, born April 26, 1893, in Wood County, near Deshler, O.

3—FAY HOBSON, born April 24, 1898, in Wood County, near Deshler, O.

4—ROBERT DALE, born Dec. 19, 1900, in Wood County, near Deshler, O.

5—FORESTER EDWARD, born May 1, 1903, in Wood County, near Deshler, Ohio.

JOHN DAVID BUCHANAN was the seventh child of Hannah Fish and Robert Webster Clay Buchanan, Sr., and was born in Wood County, Ohio, on October 11, 1869. He was a farmer by occupation, and was married on December 25, 1895, to Ella Mabel Fought, who was born in Martin, Ottawa County, Ohio, on May 12, 1878. Their children are:—

1—LAURA GLADYS, born in Temple, Clare County, Michigan, November 26, 1896.

2—ELSIE LEAH, born in Toledo, O., Feb. 17, 1901; died in Wood County, near Deshler, O., Aug. 4, 1902.

ROBERT WEBSTER CLAY BUCHANAN, JR., was the eighth and last child of Hannah Fish and Robert Webster Clay Buchanan, Sr., and was born in Wood County, Ohio, on December 15, 1872. By occupation he was a thresher and farmer. He was married on February 7, 1895, to Ella Elnora Price, who was born in Wood County, near Deshler, Ohio, April 20, 1878. Their children are:—

1—BURLEY CALVIN, born in Wood County, near Deshler, O., Sept. 12, 1895; died there June 15, 1898.

2—MABEL PEARL, born in Wood County, near Deshler, Ohio, July 30, 1899.

3—ROBERT WEBSTER CLAY, 3D, born in Wood County, near Deshler, Ohio, December 27, 1901.

4—GEORGE CRAWFORD, born in Wood County, near Deshler, Ohio, July 3, 1903.

HANNAH FISH (nee CARRICK).

HENRY FISH

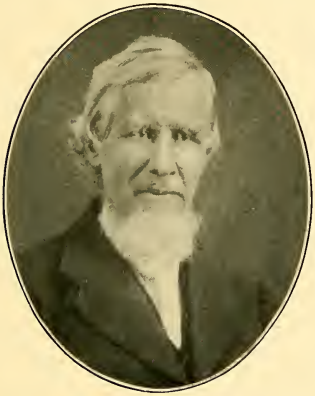
Henry Fish was the eleventh child of Luke, Jr., and Mary Fish, and was born in Dayton, Ohio, August 24, 1836. He died in Dayton, Ohio, September 6, 1836, being only thirteen days old.

SARAH FISH

Sarah Fish was the twelfth and last child of Luke, Jr., and Mary Fish, and was born in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, May 28, 1838. She died August 12, 1838, in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, being but two months and fifteen days old.

EDWARD FISH

Edward Fish, who was the sixth and last child of Luke, Sr., and Margaret Fish, was born in England, March 24, 1802, and died in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, December 3, 1886, aged 84 years. On the day he arrived in the United States he declared his intention of becoming an American citizen. For many years he was officially connected



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with the educational institutions of the district in which he lived. He married Hannah Carrick, who was born in England January 25, 1797, and died in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, April 12, 1881, aged 84 years. She was the daughter of Nicholas and Margaret (nee Whitfield) Carrick, who were born in Northumberland County, England. Their children are:—

1—NICHOLAS, born December 9, 1822.

2—JOHN, born September 4, 1827.

3—RICHARD, born March 9, 1829.

4—MARGARET, born November 3, 1835.

5—JANE, born March 8, 1838.

THE FAMILY OF NICHOLAS FISH.

The names of the six children forming the back row, from left to right, are: William, Jane, Edward Duncombe, David, Mary and Richard. The names of those in the center, from left to right, are: Isabella, Lawson Frederick, Hannah Fish (mother), Hannah and Margaret.

NICHOLAS FISH

Nicholas Fish, who was the first child of Edward and Hannah Fish, was born in England, December 9, 1822, and died at 9 East Tower Street, Carlisle, England, September 9, 1865, aged 43 years. He was early put to work as a weaver, having a handloom in the house in which he lived, and in later years was employed as a pattern worker in Dixon's factory, West Tower Street, Carlisle. He was a man of great strength of character, and

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for many years was in regular attendance at the Bible Class conducted by the Dean of Carlisle. His death occurred under very pathetic circumstances. His daughter, Margaret, was taken sick with typhoid fever, being too ill to be removed from home, while four other children, Mary, Jane, David and Isabella, were taken to the hospital with the same fever. While they were there, he died at home. The only likeness of Nicholas Fish was an oil painting, lifesize, executed especially for his father in America, and though sent from England with a friend of the family, it never reached its destination. Nicholas Fish married

Hannah Losh, born March 10, 1824, in Cockermouth, England. She was a worthy mother of a large family. During the life of her husband she was the main source of supply for all his "bobbins," working the spinning wheel while nursing her children or attending to her household duties, and often sitting at the loom herself. She struggled hard to give her children a common school education, denying herself many of the necessities of life in order to do so. In looks Hannah Fish was a splendid old woman, but grander still in character, and was an ideal and good Christian mother. She died in Padiham, Lancashire, England, on April 4, 1904, aged 80 years. Their children are:—

1—EDWARD DUNCOMBE, born October 21, 1844.

2—MARY, born December 6, 1845.

3—JOHN, born September 19, 1847.

4—JANE, born September 2, 1849.

5—MARGARET, born August 30, 1851.

6—DAVID, born November 11, 1853.

7—ISABELLA, born March 2, 1855.

8—RICHARD, born December 25, 1856.

9—WILLIAM, born November 3, 1858.

10—LAWSON FREDERICK, born December 2, 1860.

11—ANN, born February 3, 1864.

12—HANNAH, born March 14, 1865.

EDWARD DUNCOMBE FISH was the first child of Nicholas and Hannah Fish, and was born in Carlisle, England, October 21, 1844. He received a common school education and was apprenticed when about 15 years of age to the printing and lithographing business. Before he had finished his apprenticeship his master was declared a bankrupt, releasing Edward Duncombe, who went to Liverpool, England, as a turn-over apprentice, where he succeeded in getting employment with a firm publishing a daily list of stock quotations. It was Edward Duncombe's duty to go to the Exchange for the quotations, and he was often requested to write a few lines giving the condition of the market for the day, which were the means of securing for him a place in a broker's office, and eventually being placed on the Exchange as a buyer and seller for the house of Colonel Tilney. On the death

of Colonel Tilney, Edward Duncombe, because he was not taken in as a partner, started business for himself as a stock and share broker on April 15, 1882, with an office in 15 Hackin's Hey, Liverpool, and was successful up to his untimely death. Crossing from Liverpool to Birkenhead on the underground railway that tunnels the River Mersey, he was accidentally killed at the Birkenhead side while on his way home, December 31, 1895. He was a Liberal in politics, and took an active part in the for-

EDWARD DUNCOMBE FISH

mation of the Liberal Club in the Old Chester Road Music Hall, Birkenhead. As a member of the Wesley Chapel in that town he joined in the various movements connected with church life, especially taking an interest in the Wesley Literary Society, before which he read several papers on natural history. Edward Duncombe was also a member of the Birkenhead Literary and Scientific Society and the Liverpool Field Naturalists' Society, frequently lecturing to the farmers in South West Lancashire on insect pests and how to deal with them. He was Vice-president of the Liverpool, England, Entomological So-

ciety in 1884, and as Vice-president of the Tranmere Rovers' Football Club he gave it unstinted support. He married Caroline Hutchinson, who was born July 14, 1846, in Liverpool, Lancashire, England. She was a daughter of a Liverpool Custom House Officer. Their children are:—

1—ANN, born September 7, 1869, in Liverpool, Lancashire, England.
2—HENRY JOHN, born Aug. 16, 1871, in Liverpool, Lancashire, England.
3—THOMAS HERBERT, born August 20, 1873, in Liverpool, Lancashire, England.
4—GEORGE WILLIAM, born February 22, 1876, in Birkenhead, Cheshire, England.

MARY FISH was the second child of Nicholas and Hannah Fish, and was born in Queen Street, Carlisle, England, December 6, 1845. She was married in Car-

MARY FISH

lisle to Thomas Barton, a bookkeeper, who was born in Preston, Lancashire, England, March 31, 1844. They moved into Lancashire, where they lived a short time at White Lee, near Burnley, and then at Gorton, near Manchester, and afterward settled in Wigan, where they

began the notion and haberdashery business. Their children are:—

1—JOSEPH BRAY, born May 8, 1868, at White Lee, near Burnley, Lancashire, England.

2—WILLIAM EDWARD, born April 4, 1870, at Gorton, near Manchester, Lancashire, England.

3—DAVID, born May 24, 1872, at Gorton, near Manchester, Lancashire, England.

4—RICHARD, born October 31, 1874, at Wigan, Lancashire, England; died December 2, 1875, at Wigan, Lancashire, England.

5—HANNAH ISABELLA, born December 8, 1875, at Wigan, Lancashire, England.

6—RICHARD, born September 25, 1878, at Wigan, Lancashire, England.

7—JOHN FREDERICK, born May 26, 1881, at Wigan, Lancashire, England.

8—MARGARET JANE, born February 1, 1885, at Wigan, Lancashire, England.

9—EMMA CAROLINE, born June 28, 1887, at Wigan, Lancashire, England.

10—MABEL ANNIE, born April 1, 1890, at Wigan, Lancashire, England.

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WILLIAM EDWARD BARTON was the second child of Mary Fish and Thomas Barton, and was born in Gorton, near Manchester, England, April 4, 1870. He was educated in the schools of Wigan. He studied vocal music and was principal bass singer in the Wigan Parish Church choir. In May, 1894, he was appointed to a similar position in the American church in Paris, France, and later was engaged as a professor of vocal music in the Canadian College of Music, Ottawa, Canada. In 1900 he moved to Toronto, Ontario, where he was appointed singing master at the Toronto College of Music and choir master at St. Margaret's Episcopal Church, and in 1901 he sang before an audience of 12,000 people in the Mechanics' Pavilion, San Francisco. He was married on Christmas Day, 1899, from the home of his uncle, David Fish, in Philadelphia, Penn-

sylvania, to Priscilla West, who was born in Bolton, Lancashire, England, May 30, 1873. Their only child is:—

1—DOROTHY, born September, 27, 1900, in Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

RICHARD BARTON was the sixth child of Mary Fish and Thomas Barton, and was born at Wigan, Lancashire, England, on October 31, 1874. He was married on October 28, 1903, to Cecelia Bartel Milward.

JOHN FISH was the third child of Nicholas and Hannah Fish, and was born in the Broad Guards, Carlisle, England, on September 19, 1847, and died in the Broad Guards, Carlisle, England, on October 31, 1848, aged thirteen months.

JANE FISH, who was the fourth child of Nicholas and Hannah Fish, was born

JANE FISH

in the Broad Guards, Carlisle, England, September 2, 1849, and died in Padiham, Lancashire, England, March 18, 1899. She married Israel Hargreaves, a cotton spin-

ner, born September 22, 1851, in Padiham, Lancashire, England. Their children are:

1—THOMAS EDWARD, born February 9, 1877, at Padiham, Lancashire, England.

2—DAVID, born July 2, 1889, at Padiham, Lancashire, England; died there June 11, 1897.

3—HANNAH, born February 25, 1883, at Padiham, Lancashire, England.

4—VIOLET (twin), born September 24, 1886, at Padiham, Lancashire, England.

5—LILLY (twin), born September 24, 1886, at Padiham, Lancashire, England.

MARGARET FISH was the fifth child of Nicholas and Hannah Fish, and was born in Carlisle, England, on August 30,

MARGARET FISH

1851. She was deeply interested in Church work and was connected officially with the Wesleyan Methodists, and later of the Primitive Methodists, of Padiham, Lancashire, England, where she died November 21, 1902, aged 51 years. She was unmarried.

DAVID FISH was the sixth child of Nicholas and Hannah Fish, and was born November 11, 1853, in Bridge Street, Caldewgate, Carlisle, in the county of Cumberland, England. He attended the Church of England Day Schools, West Walls, connected with St. Mary's Church, of which church he was a chorister for nearly two years. When about 12 years of age he was employed to sell newspapers to passengers on incoming and outgoing trains in the Citadel Station, Carlisle. Shortly after the death of his

DAVID FISH

father, the family moved into the Northeast Division of Lancashire, locating in White Lee, near Burnley. While there David was employed in the warehouse of a cotton mill at Higham. His mother, not satisfied with her son being in a mill, sought a place for him in Padiham, where he learned the business of job printing, bookbinding and machine ruling, working with the same employer as apprentice and journeyman for over eleven years. During his stay in Padiham David obtained second class certificates at the Science and Art examinations held by the Council on Education

in England, May 5 and 7, 1875, in the subjects of Physical Geography and Animal Physiology. He became connected with the Wesleyan Methodists, taking an active part in both church and Sunday school work at Cross Bank, including the "Band of Hope" temperance organization connected with that place. He was also an active spirit in the Independent Order of Good Templars, occupying the responsible positions of Deputy G. W. C. T. for the years 1874-5-6, Visiting Deputy G. W. C. T. for the year 1877, District Superin-

SARAH ANN FISH (nee ASHWORTH

tendent of the Juvenile Branch of the Order for the Northeast Lancashire District for the years 1877-8-9, Juvenile Temple Superintendent for the years 1878-9, and Electoral Deputy G. W. C. T. for the year 1879.

On Saturday, June 19, 1880, David left Liverpool, England, on the S. S. Bothnia, landing in New York on Wednesday, June 30, 1880. On arriving in America he went to Philadelphia to live, where he obtained his naturalization paper on September 17, 1886. He was induced to enter politics, and ran as an Independent Republican candidate for Common Council,

in the Twenty-eighth Ward, on February 21, 1899, but was defeated. The following year, February 20, 1900, he was elected to Common Council for the term of two years. On retiring he was presented with the following engrossed resolution:—

At a special meeting of Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, held April 3, 1902, the following was adopted:—

Resolution of regret at the retirement of David Fish from Common Council,

Whereas, David Fish, representative from

WILLIAM NICHOLAS FISH

the Twenty-eighth Ward, is about to sever his connection with Common Council of the City of Philadelphia,

And whereas the said gentleman, having served the city with diligence and fidelity, it is the desire of Common Council to express its regret at his departure from this body; be it therefore

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, that it views with regret the retirement of David Fish from its midst, testifying its appreciation of his service to his constituents and the city, and expressing its hope for his future welfare and prosperity; be it further

Resolved, that a copy of this resolution be engrossed and framed and presented to the said David Fish.

GEORGE McCURDY,
President of Common Council.

Attest,
G. W. KOCHESPERGER,
Chief Clerk of Common Council.

From October, 1882, to November, 1890. David was connected with "The Philadelphia Press" morning newspaper in the various capacities of "sub" compositor, "ad" man, "makeup" man and assistant foreman, and on November 6, 1890, was made foreman, which position he held for many years. He was married in Philadelphia from the home of his uncle, Richard Fish, on October 4, 1882, to Sarah Ann Ashworth, of Padiham, Lancashire, England, the Rev. Amos John-

EDWARD CHARLES FISH

son performing the ceremony. Sarah Ann Ashworth was the daughter of William and Mary Ashworth, and was born in Huncoat, near Accrington, Lancashire, England, on September 9, 1855. She left Liverpool on the S. S. Wisconsin, September 23, 1882, and arrived in New York, October 4, 1882. Their children are:—

1—WILLIAM NICHOLAS, born July 10, 1883.
2—EDWARD CHARLES, born September 21, 1884.
3—DAVID HARRISON, born November 13, 1889.
4—RICHARD ASHWORTH, born January 22, 1893.

WILLIAM NICHOLAS FISH was the first son of David and Sarah Ann Fish, and was born July 10, 1883, on Kensington Avenue, below Clearfield Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. He was educated in the John F. Hartranft and M. Hall Stanton Schools, graduating from the latter in June, 1898, and attended the Central High School for Boys for two years. At the age of 17 he began life by working

DAVID HARRISON FISH

in the composing room of "The Press." He was an active member of the Vesper Boat Club.

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EDWARD CHARLES FISH was the second son of David and Sarah Ann Fish, and was born September 21, 1884, in Moore Street, Kensington, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. He attended the John F. Hartranft and M. Hall Stanton public schools, passing from the latter to the Central High School for Boys in June, 1899, and graduating from the Central High School in 1904 with the degree of Bachelor of Science in Economics (B. S. in E.). He was also elected Honor man of his class, and was prominent in High School athletics, being captain of both the Baseball and Football teams in 1903, and a member of the Basketball

team in 1904, when they won all three interscholastic championships.

DAVID HARRISON FISH was the third son of David and Sarah Ann Fish, and was born November 13, 1889, in Franklin Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. He attended the M. Hall Stanton school, graduating to the High School in June, 1904.

RICHARD ASHWORTH FISH was the fourth son of David and Sarah Ann Fish,

RICHARD ASHWORTH FISH

and was born January 22, 1893, in Franklin Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. He attended the M. Hall Stanton School.

WILLIAM AND MARY ASHWORTH.

William Ashworth, whose daughter was married to David Fish, was born at Houghton Barn, Altham, Lancashire, England, on March 25, 1826. He was the tenth of the eleven children of Peter and Sarah Ashworth. Peter Ashworth was born at Clough Bank, Altham, in 1782, and died at Huncoat, Lancashire, England, on July 13, 1865, aged 83 years. He married Sarah Moorhouse, who was born at Castle Clough, Hapton, in 1785, and died at Huncoat on September 13, 1867, in her 83d year. Sarah Moorhouse

WILLIAM ASHWORTH

MARY ASHWORTH

was the daughter of James Moorhouse, who married Grace Riley.

Mary Sagar, who was married to William Ashworth, was born at Haugh Head, Simonstone, Lancashire, England, on March 25, 1824, and was the daughter of Hanson and Ann (nee Ormerod) Sagar. Hanson Sagar was born in 1796, at Cockshutt Farm, Simonstone, England, and died at Lancaster, England, November

JAMES MOORHOUSE

19, 1869, aged 73 years. He was the son of John Sagar, who married Mattie Barrett. Ann Sagar was born in 1796, at Read, England, and died at Haugh Head, England, August 30, 1879, in her 84th year. She was the daughter of William Ormerod.

ISABELLA FISH was the seventh child of Nicholas and Hannah Fish, and was born March 2, 1855, in Carlisle, England. In 1899 she married William Harrison, of Padiham, England, who was born May 5, 1836, in Uldale, Cumberland County, England. His father, John Harrison, was born June 18, 1805, in Dean, near Cockermouth, and died February 1, 1885, in Cockermouth, England, and his mother, Ann Harrison, was born July 15, 1810, in

Millbeck, near Keswick, England, and died April 1, 1882, in Cockermouth, England. There was no issue.

RICHARD FISH was the eighth child of Nicholas and Hannah Fish, and was born in Carlisle, England, on Christmas Day (December 25), 1856. He was engaged in the drygoods and stationery business.

ISABELLA FISH

He was badly shaken and cut in a railroad accident, on Whitmonday, 1883, at Lockerbie, Scotland, on the Caledonian Railway, the serious effects of which never left him. He was unmarried.

WILLIAM FISH was the ninth child of Nicholas and Hannah Fish, and was born in Carlisle, England, on November 3, 1858. He was educated for a school teacher, but instead elected to enter commercial life and was engaged in the iron trade in Blackburn, Lancashire, England. While in Blackburn he became a member of the "Pleasant Sunday Afternoon Society," before which he delivered a lecture on Monday, December 25, 1895, on "Insects, Their Life, Use, and Benefit to

RICHARD FISH

WILLIAM FISH

Mankind," giving incidents and experiments of a very interesting character. He was unmarried.

LAWSON FREDERICK FISH was the tenth child of Nicholas and Hannah Fish, and was born in Carlisle, England, on December 2, 1860. He served an apprenticeship as a painter, paperhanger and decorator, and on becoming a journeyman, engaged in business for himself in Accrington, England. He married

LAWSON FREDERICK FISH

Elizabeth Agnes Ayrton, born September 11, 1860, in Burnley, Lancashire, England, their marriage on April 29, 1886, being the first celebrated in the Primitive Chapel, Padiham. Their children are:—

1—FREDERICK, born May 20, 1887, in Padiham, Lancashire England.

2—HARRY, born June 14, 1889, in Accrington, Lancashire England.

3—MAGGIE, born January 9, 1891, in Accrington, Lancashire England.

4—TOM, born October 11, 1892, in Accrington, Lancashire England.

5—ARTHUR, born June 30, 1894, in Accrington, Lancashire, England.

6—EDWARD DUNCOMBE, born January 4, 1896, in Accrington, Lancashire, England.

7—RICHARD, born August 6, 1898, in Accrington, Lancashire, England.

8—DAVID, born March 16, 1902, in Accrington, Lancashire, England.

ANN FISH was the eleventh child of Nicholas and Hannah Fish, and was born February 3, 1864, in Carlisle, England, where she died February 5, 1864.

HANNAH FISH was the twelfth and last child of Nicholas and Hannah Fish,

HANNAH FISH.

and was born in Carlisle, England, on March 14, 1865. She was unmarried.

JOHN FISH

John Fish, who was the second child of Edward and Hannah Fish, was born September 4, 1827, and died September 13, 1839, aged 12 years.

RICHARD FISH

Richard Fish was the third child of Edward and Hannah Fish, and was born in Carlisle, England, March 9, 1829. He came to America in 1852. He volunteered his services during the Morgan riots in Ohio, but was never enlisted, although he served with a body of citizens, who were engaged in an effort to capture Morgan. He married Margaret Bell, who was born in Carlisle, England, June 13, 1832. She

RICHARD FISH

came to America in 1855, and died in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, November 28, 1901, aged 69 years. Richard Fish died in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, August 5, 1900, aged 71 years. Their children are:—

1—ELIZABETH, born Dec. 2, 1851.
2—GEORGE WASHINGTON, born September 14, 1857.
3—EDWARD, born April 16, 1860.
4—EDWARD BELL, born March 29, 1861.
5—EMMA, born June 29, 1866.

ELIZABETH FISH was the first child of Richard and Margaret Fish, and was born in Carlisle, England, December 2,

1851. She was married in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to David Midgley, born in Yorkshire, England, in 1839. Their only child is:—

1—MARGARET, born May 10, 1871.

MARGARET MIDGLEY was the only child of Elizabeth Fish and David Midgley, and was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on May 10, 1871. She was educated in the public schools of Philadelphia, graduated in 1888 from the Philadel-

MARGARET FISH (nee BELL)

phia High School for Girls, and filled the position of teacher in the Lucretia Mott Combined Primary and Secondary School from September, 1889, until June, 1897. She married George Steinman, Jr., born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on August 27, 1871. Their only child is:—

1—MARGARET ELIZABETH, born May 16, 1901, in Philadelphia, Pa.

GEORGE WASHINGTON FISH was the second child of Richard and Margaret Fish, and was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on September 14, 1857. He was educated in the public schools, and attended the Central High School.

He married Sylvania Ward, who was born April 13, 1859, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. She was a daughter of John Spence and Emma Ward, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, formerly of Leicestershire, England. Their children are:—

1—EDNA EMMA, born January 31, 1882, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; died there August 6, 1882.
2—RICHARD, born March 17, 1883, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
3—JOHN CHALLIS, born January 21, 1886, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
4—MARGARET, born September 5, 1888, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
5—ANNA MAY, born February 18, 1890, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; died there June 29, 1892.
6—GEORGE WASHINGTON, born July 3, 1891, in Philadelphia Pennsylvania; died there July 24, 1891.
7—SYLVANIA, born April 28, 1895, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; died there July 1, 1895.
8—CLARA, born December 13, 1898, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

EDWARD FISH was the third child of Richard and Margaret Fish, and was born April 16. 1860, in Columbus, Ohio, where he died June 14, 1860, being short of two months old.

EDWARD BELL FISH was the fourth child of Richard and Margaret Fish, and was born March 29, 1861, in Columbus, Ohio, and died July 8, 1900, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

EMMA FISH was the fifth and last child of Richard and Margaret Fish, and was born June 29, 1866, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, where she died August 6, 1866, being only thirty-eight days old.

MARGARET FISH

Margaret Fish, who was the fourth child of Edward and Hannah Fish, was born in Carlisle, England, on November 3, 1835, and died in Brown Township, Miami County, Ohio, on December 7, 1880. She came to America with her parents in May, 1853. She was one of the most amiable of women, a most dutiful mother, and beloved by all who knew her. Margaret was married Dec. 21, 1871, to John Young, a farmer, who was born in

Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on January 27, 1833. Margaret was John Young's second wife. He married his first wife, Hannah Jane Beer, on May 31, 1863, and to that union two children were born. Hannah Jane died April 28, 1866.

MARGARET FISH

John Young became a member of the Spring Creek Christian Church January 28, 1877, and continued his membership up to his death, on March 5, 1904. The only child of Margaret Fish and John Young was:—

1—EDWARD DILLMAN, born March 18, 1873.

John Young married again on April 11, 1882, his third wife being Calista Jane Williams, who was born in Spring Creek Township, Miami County, Ohio, on August 2, 1845. Their children are:—

1—MYRTLE, born February 16, 1883.

2—MELLIE JANE, born Aug. 7, 1887.

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EDWARD DILLMAN YOUNG was the only child of Margaret Fish and John Young, and was born in Brown Township, Miami County, Ohio, on March 18, 1873. He married Annie Birch, who was

born in Piqua, Ohio, September 24, 1867. Their children are:—

1—MAGGIE MARIE, born in St. Mary's, Ohio, January 18, 1896.

2—JOHN RAYMOND, born in Conover, Ohio, October 20, 1897.

3—HAZEL DELL, born in Brown Township, Miami County, Ohio, May 26, 1899.

JANE FISH

Jane Fish was the fifth and last child of Edward and Hannah Fish, and was born in Shadongate, Carlisle, Cumberland County, England, on March 8, 1838.

JANE FISH

She came to America with her parents in May, 1853. They left Liverpool, in March, 1853, on the sailing vessel, "Robert Kelley." When on the ocean a few days their ship became disabled and was forced to return to Liverpool for repairs, where she remained several days before again attempting to cross the ocean. It was an exceedingly rough voyage, the trip requiring five weeks and three days. They landed in New York, and without delay journeyed to Ohio, settling in Orange Township, Shelby Coun-

ty. Jane Fish was married on May 1, 1856, to John Dillman Dickensheets, who was born in Bellbrook, Montgomery County, Ohio, on January 29, 1832. From Bellbrook Mr. Dickensheets' parents moved to Shelby County when it was a dense forest. Here they entered a farm of 80 acres, the land being obtained from the Government, and began the work of clearing. A log cabin was first erected in the woods, and from this primitive beginning the farm was made, each year a few more acres being cleared for cultivation. Mr. Dickensheets, who was the oldest of a family of twelve children, learned to be a carpenter and afterward was a contractor and builder for many

JOHN DILLMAN DICKENSHEETS

years. He was employed by the Board of Education to look after one of the ward schools. John Dillman Dickensheets, after his marriage, moved to Burlington, Iowa, where they remained one year, then returning to Green Township, Shelby County, Ohio. On April 11, 1867, they moved to Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, where they now reside. Their children are:—

1—EDWARD FRANCIS, born February 3, 1857.

2—FREDERICK ORLANDO, born August 16, 1858.
3—IDA MONONA, born Dec. 5, 1860.
4—JESSE LOGAN, born March 15, 1863.
5—JOHN MILTON, born Jan. 21, 1867.

EDWARD FRANCIS DICKENSHEETS, who was the first child of Jane Fish and John Dillman Dickensheets, was born in Burlington, Iowa, on February 3, 1857, and died in Green Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on March 12, 1858.

FREDERICK ORLANDO DICKENSHEETS, the second child of Jane Fish and John Dillman Dickensheets, was born in Green Township, Shelby County, Ohio, August 16, 1858. He came to Sidney, Ohio, with his parents on April 11, 1867, and at once entered the Sidney public schools. In 1875 he entered the office of "The Sidney Journal," where he remained five years, holding the dual position of local reporter and compositor. On May 3, 1880, he left home to seek his fortune in the West, working as a compositor for a time on "The Denver Republican" and on the reportorial staff of that paper. Frederick Orlando's ability was so marked that in a short time he was made City Editor, and kept advancing as the paper became more metropolitan. He was the first to hold the position of News and Night Editor, which chair he held for more than twenty years, and was known as one of the best newspaper men west of the Missouri River. He was one of the organizers and at one time vice-president of the Denver Athletic Club, and was also instrumental in instituting Lodge No. 17, of the Elks, in Denver. On November 29, 1883, Frederick Orlando Dickensheets married Josephine Forcburg, who was born in Stockholm, Sweden, on January 22, 1861. Their only child is:—

1—DELLA, born October 15, 1884, in Denver, Colorado.

IDA MONONA DICKENSHEETS was the third child of Jane Fish and John Dillman Dickensheets, and was born on a farm in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, December 5, 1860. She moved to Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, with her parents when six years of age, and graduated from the Sidney High School in the Class of 1879. At the time

of her death on September 4, 1900, in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, she was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, an active worker in the Missionary Society, a member of two social clubs, and the Order of Rebekahs and Maccabees, and was a prominent member of the Ivy Club, a literary organization. On her death, the Ivy Club members secured a volume of references and quotations, and placed it in the Sidney Public Library in her memory. Her name is inscribed on the back thereof in gold. The club also presented the parents and husband and child with the following memorial, beautifully engrossed:—

"IVY CLUB MEMORIAL."

"To put upon memory's page a memorial that will not fade and soften our personal bereavements to a sacred memory.

"This life was so blended with ours, causing hearts to beat in unison like sweet music in holy diapason.

"We approach this tender service, asking how we shall pay a just tribute to a friend so dear, who was one of the brightest and best loved in our circle; one who was always cheerful and ever mindful of the happiness of others, as well as enduring the hardships which compose 'Life's Battle March.'

"Endowed with the true spirit of womanhood at the altar of home—where her light shone the brightest—making the sweet companionship of wife, mother or friend a heaven of hope in a stormy sea.

"To the shrine of her memory will we ever go to pay our homage; to the stricken husband and child, father, mother and brothers we can offer only the companionship of a sympathetic heart, ever believing that the sweet blending of our lives with dear ones upon this earth is but an earnest of what will be in the Great Hereafter.

" 'There is no death; what seems so is transition.
This life of mortal breath
Is but a suburb of the life Elysian,
Whose portals are death.' "

Ida Monona Dickensheets was married on March 8, 1883, to George Ray Loudenback, who was born on a farm near Urbana, Champaign County, Ohio, on March 4, 1849, where he remained until 1879, when he moved to Urbana, becoming a dealer in agricultural implements and farm machinery. In the year 1881 he was engaged with a firm of manufacturers of farm machinery, with headquarters at Hamilton, Ohio, as their traveling representative, continuing with them for eleven years. In 1892 he located in Sidney, where he opened a general implement store, dealing in bicycles and sundries. There he soon became prominent in local politics, and in 1897

was elected a member of the Board of Water Works Trustees, and re-elected in 1900. In 1903 he was prevailed upon to make the race for member of the Board of Public Service, he receiving the largest majority of any candidate of either ticket. Their only child is:—

1—MARGARET ANN, born May 23, 1897, in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio.

JESSE LOGAN DICKENSHEETS, who was the fourth child of Jane Fish and John Dillman Dickensheets, was born on a farm in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on March 15, 1863, and moved to Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, with his parents when but four years of age. His education was obtained in the Sidney public schools. At the age of 17 he entered the office of "The Sidney Journal," where he remained five years. He then went to Springfield, Ohio, and after two years' experience there in job printing, he went to Denver, Colorado, where he soon became a valued reporter of "The Denver Republican," being advanced to Assistant City Editor. Having obtained the experience desired, he returned to Sidney, Ohio, and began the publication of "The Sidney Gazette," which he continued until November, 1898, when he disposed of his interests to accept the management of the Sidney Telephone Company. Jesse Logan Dickensheets was prominently identified with secret societies, being a member of Sidney Lodge No. 786, B. P. O. E; Summit Lodge No. 50, Knights of Pythias, and M. R. Waite Council No. 1091, Royal Arcanum. He was married on November 22, 1888, to Jennie McCaslin, who was born in Xenia, Ohio, on August 21, 1863. She was the only daughter of the Rev. Robert McCaslin, D D., and Mary (Smith) McCaslin. The Rev. Dr. McCaslin occupied the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church in Sidney for thirty-one years. There was no issue.

JOHN MILTON DICKENSHEETS, who was the fifth and last child of Jane Fish and John Dillman Dickensheets, was born in Orange Township, Shelby County, Ohio, on January 21, 1867, and died in Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, on May 1, 1881.

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